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DEMOCRAT PARTY CONVENTION OPENS TO-DAY IN PHILADELPHIA



A fine photographic view of the traffic accident which occurred just outside the Sincere Company shortly after 1.45 p.m. yesterday. Lorry No. 4218 can here be seen in collision with taxi No. 132. Fortunately no one was injured. ("China Mail" photo).

BIRTHDAY HONOURS TWO LOCAL RESIDENTS IN THE LIST

London, To-day.
 The Birthday Honours include four Barons, three Privy Counsellors, five Baronets, four Companions of Honour, and a long list of Knighthoods. A Dame Grand Cross of the Victorian Order is conferred on Queen Mary and a Viscountcy on Lord Dawson of Penn.

The new Barons are Sir Herbert Austin, Sir Henry Cantley, Sir Malcolm Hailey and Mr. J. W. Beaumont-Peese. Sir Herbert Austin is the well-known motor-manufacturer; Sir Henry Cantley is Unionist M.P. for the East Grinstead Division of Sussex and has been Re-

The new Knights include Mr. Irving James Albery, M.P. (U.) for Gravesend since 1924, and Dr. Alfred Webb-Johnson, Hunterian Professor of Surgery and Pathology, Royal College of Surgeons.

JEAN BATTEN HONOURED
 The Dominions list includes a Companionship of Honour for Mr. J. A. Lyons, Prime Minister of Australia, and a Commandership of the British Empire for Miss Jean Batten, for services to aviation.

The honour bestowed on Queen Mary is the highest decoration in the Royal Victorian Order, and has never previously been given to anybody.

The Duke of York has been appointed a personal Naval and Air Aide-de-Camp to the King, and the Duke of Kent and Lord Louis Mountbatten personal Naval Aide-de-Camps to the King.

DR. MELLY'S REWARD
 The Albert Medal in gold has been posthumously awarded to Dr. C. J. Melly in recognition of conspicuous gallantry during the disorders in Addis Ababa in May, in efforts to rescue British and other nationals and wounded Abyssinians. Dr. Melly received fatal injuries.

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AIR FORCE CROSS

Awarded To Leader Of London To Singapore Flight

London, to-day.—The Air Force Cross has been awarded to Squadron-Leader A. F. Lang, leader of the flight for flying boats from England to Singapore in 1933.—Reuter.

order of Sunderland since 1918: Sir Malcolm Hailey has had a distinguished career in the Indian Civil Service, having been Governor of both the Punjab and the United Provinces at various times; and Mr. Beaumont-Peese is Chairman of Lloyds Bank.

The Members of the House of Commons Lt.-Col. D. J. Colville, Under-Secretary of State for Scotland, Captain Euan Wallace, Secretary for Overseas Trade, and Earl de la Warr, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Education, have been made Privy Counsellors.

LON BARRY ENGLISH SCULLING CHAMPION

London, To-day.—The English Sculling Championship over the Putney to Mortlake course, of about 4½ miles, was won by Lon Barry, who beat Ted Phelps, the holder, by 10 lengths in 24 minutes 50 seconds.—Reuter.

QUEEN MARY'S SECOND TRIP

New York, To-day.—The Queen Mary completed her second voyage from Southampton in 4 days 16 hours 13 minutes. The record was not attempted on the present voyage.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

ROOSEVELT FACES STERN OPPOSITION GOVERNOR LANDON'S BOLD BID

PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL APPEAL
 STILL VERY POWERFUL

Philadelphia, To-day.
 The stage is set for the Convention of the Democratic Party, opening to-day. The consensus of impartial opinion is that the re-election of President Roosevelt, which a few months ago seemed assured, can now be secured only by strenuous and untiring efforts to round up every available vote.

Mr. Alfred Smith's declaration of war on President Roosevelt, with allegations of graft in the New Deal and failure to balance the budget, is among the difficulties facing the President at the outset of the campaign. It is believed that Mr. Alfred Smith may take his friends over to Governor Landon, while the Lemke Party, the new Left-wing organisation, is thought likely to detract from President Roosevelt's vote.

The question is asked whether it will be possible to prevent the hundreds of thousands of Republican votes, with which Mr. Roosevelt was elected, from going to Governor Landon. It is pointed out that Mr. Landon is younger than Mr. Roosevelt and the new Republican chiefs, headed by Mr. Landon's manager, Mr. John Hamilton, are vigorous mid-Westerners, far more formidable than the harassed clique that surrounded Mr. Herbert Hoover in 1932.

KENT WIN OVER WORCESTER

Freeman Again In Limelight

London, To-day.
 Results of first-class cricket matches which concluded yesterday were as follows:—
 At Worcester, Kent beat Worcester by 7 wickets.
 Worcester: 169 and 122 (Freeman 5 for 46).
 Kent: 148 (Howarth 5 for 39) and 144 for 3.

At Lord's, the M.C.C. beat Oxford University by an innings and 123 runs.
 M.C.C.: 333 (Hendren '98, Edrich 114).
 Oxford: 128 and 82 (Smith 7 for 31).
 At Westcliff, Essex beat Glamorgan by 9 wickets.
 Glamorgan: 142 (Eastman 5 for 36) and 128 (Eastman 4 for 24).
 Essex: 213 (D. Davies 6 for 50) and 61 for 1.

—Reuter.

SIR CYRIL DEVERELL SUCCEEDS LORD ALLENBY

London, To-day.—H. M. the King has approved of the appointment of General Sir Cyril Deverell to be a Field Marshal, in succession to the late Lord Allenby.—Reuter.

On the contrary, Mr. Roosevelt's personal appeal to the voters is still very powerful, while New Dealers point out that if the graft charges were true the conditions would be worse if individual States controlled their relief, as Mr. Landon proposes. — Reuter.

BRITAIN STANDS FIRM

Italian Conquest Not Recognised

London, To-day.
 The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, will meet the Negus at the Ethiopian Legation in London at 2.45 p.m. to-day.

In the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Eden, at question-time, announced that the Government did not intend to propose or to give assent to the recognition of Italy's annexation of Ethiopia or the title of the King of Italy as Emperor of Ethiopia.

It is learned that no Italian troops have been withdrawn from Libya. It is stated that the additional troops there will be withdrawn when Britain withdraws her home fleet from the Mediterranean. — Reuter.

U.S. STATEMENT

Washington: Announcing that the American Government has approved the appointment of Signor Suich as Ambassador to the United States, Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, states that the approval did not raise the question of the recognition of the Italian annexation of Ethiopia.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

The All-China Olympic soccer team were held to a goalless draw by Penang on Sunday.



His Most Excellent Majesty Edward VIII (Edward Albert Christian George Andrew Patrick David) by the Grace of God of Britain, Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, who celebrates his 42nd birthday to-day.

RE-FORTIFICATION OF DARDANELLES CONFERENCE OPENS AT MONTREUX

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Montreux, To-day.
 The Ten-Power Dardanelles Conference opened here yesterday at 4 p.m. under very auspicious circumstances. Essentially the Dardanelles Conference is one of all the Powers who signed the Dardanelles Treaty in 1923, whereby Turkish sovereignty was severely curtailed, in as much as the Turkish State was then compelled to consent to its most vulnerable region remaining entirely undefended. The Conference has met voluntarily to discuss a revision of the Treaty, ardently desired by Turkey.

The central figure in yesterday's proceedings was Rushdi Aras. Conspicuous among those who crowded the conference room were Federal Counsellor Dr. Motta, who welcomed the delegates to Switzerland, Lord Stanhope (Great Britain), M. Paul-Boncour (France), M. Litvinoff (Russia) and M. Titulescu (Romania).

The Australian delegate, Mr. F. M. Bruce, who was Chairman at the last League session, was elected President, and the Greek delegate, M. Politis, Vice-President.

PROPOSALS EXPLAINED

Rushdi Aras, as first speaker, explained the proposals made by the Turkish Government, declaring that the Agreement of 1923 having lost the reason for its existence and proved utterly untenable, the Turkish Government wanted to set an example in peaceful international collaboration in regulation of the Dardanelles.

The Turkish Government, said Rushdi Aras, had taken into account in the most far-reaching manner the interests of commercial traffic between the Mediterranean and the shores of the Black Sea, and has gone so far as

SEAPLANE'S ESCAPE

FORCED LANDING
 ON NORMANDIE

Nearly Sucked Down
 Into Funnel

THRILL FOR SIGHTSEERS
 AT COWES

London, To-day.

A curious accident occurred at Cowes yesterday, when a Royal Air Force seaplane made a forced landing on the giant French liner Normandie, which was transferring passengers and cargo to tenders.

The seaplane struck a wing on a derrick lifting a motor-car, causing the car to hit the Normandie's rails, resting half aboard and half out. The plane, by marvellous luck, rested upright, not seriously damaged, on the forecastle deck.

The seaplane apparently got into an air-pocket above the Normandie's funnels and narrowly avoided being sucked down into the funnel. The liner carried the machine to Havre.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

BELGIAN STRIKE ENDED

Workers To Return To Work To-morrow

Brussels, To-day.

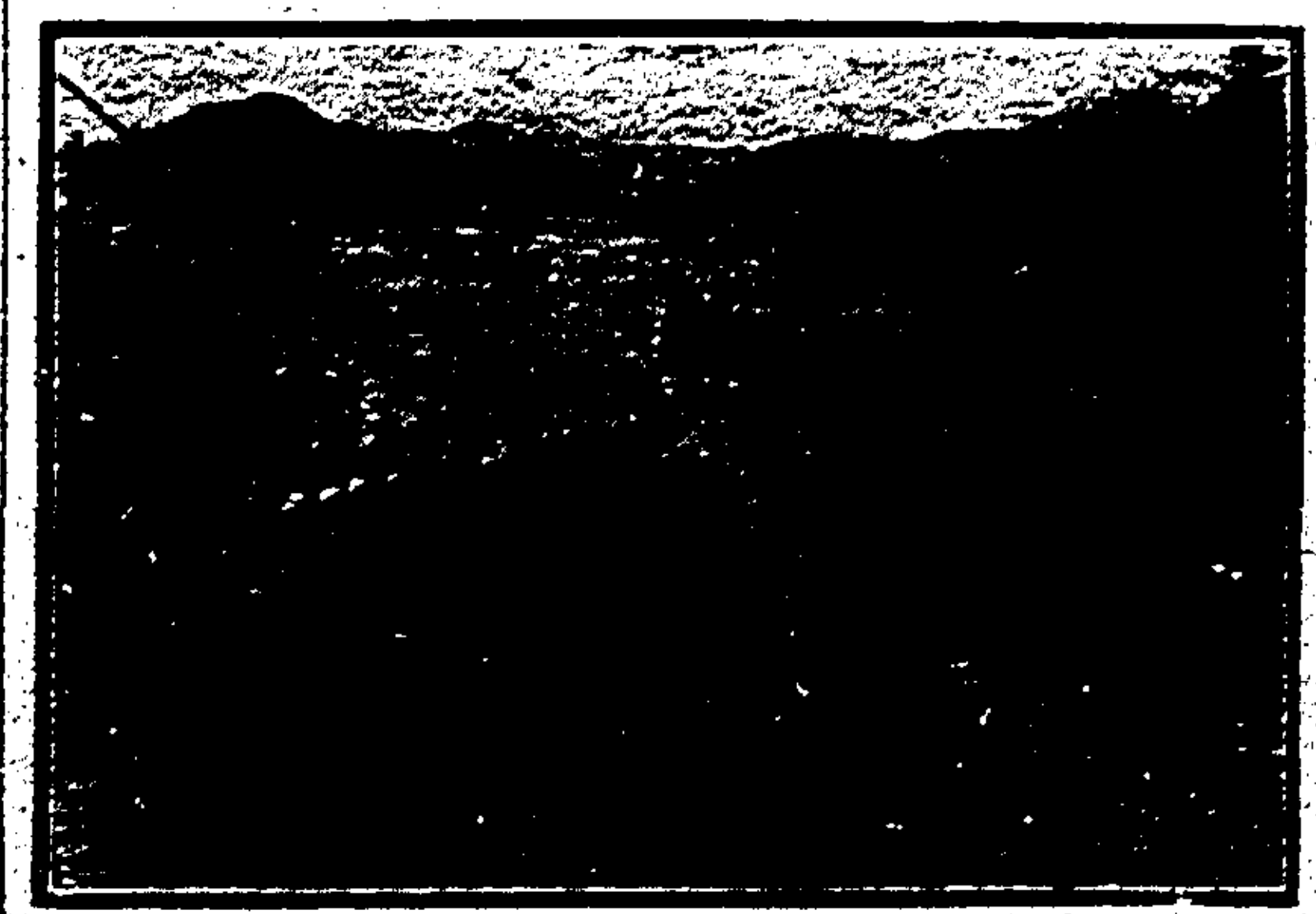
The Socialist Trade Union Committee, which controls the bulk of the 400,000 strikers, has ordered a resumption of work to-morrow, the objects of the strike having been attained for an immense majority of the workers. Workers still resisting employers are assured of the full support of the Trade Union organisation.—Reuter.

ALGIERS CRISIS

Algiers, To-day.—The strike at Algiers is still spreading, and now includes the transport and wine industries. The dockers were to have walked out yesterday.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

HONG KONG CLUB AT HOME

As in former years, an "At Home" will be held at the Hong Kong Club at noon to-day, when members and their ladies will attend. The loyal toast will be given by Mr. G. A. Pentreath, the chairman of the Club.



A large holiday crowd is usually to be seen at the Dragon Boat Festival Races at Aberdeen each year, and conditions at today's festival are not likely to be an exception. Above is seen a line-up for the start of one of the contests last year, the photograph being taken from the Ching Shing Association's bathing beach at Kennedy Town. (Photo, King's Studio).

Public Reminded To Be Early For King's Birthday Review

The public are reminded that unless they are in their places by 5.15 p.m. at the latest they will find it very difficult to gain access to the ground at the King's Birthday Review which is being held at the Race Course this evening. His Excellency the Governor will be arriving about that time and the entrances to the ground will be closed.

The Secretaries of the British Legion, Hong Kong and China Branch, notify that, accommodation for members will be available in the public enclosure. For the first time in the history of the Colony the Hong Kong Police are taking part in the King's Birthday Review.

The Police, represented by two companies, will be under the charge of Mr. W. La Bart Sparrow, D.S.P. (Kowloon), assisted by Mr. L. H. C. Calthrop, A.S.P. (Hong Kong) and Mr. G. S. Wilson, A.S.P. (Kowloon).

No. 1 Company, with Mr. Calthrop in command, will comprise Chief Inspector F. E. E. Booker, European Sergeants and Constables, Inspector Fazal Ahmed, Indian and Weihaiwei constables. Mr. Wilson will be in charge of No. 2 Company, comprising Inspector W. E. Chester Woods, Inspector Chiang Jen-yu, Chinese and Weihaiwei constables.

A company drawn from the Hong Kong Police Reserve will also parade.

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TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.s.)

Relay of the Trooping of the Colour Variety Concert

12.30-2.15 p.m.—European recorded Programme.

1.25 p.m.—The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—A Light Concert.

1.30 p.m.—Reuter-Press Bulletin.

1.35 p.m.—Variety and Dance Music.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

4.5-5.45 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

5.45-11 p.m.—European Programme.

5.45 p.m.—A Relay from Daventry.

Big Ben Trooping of the Colour.

Celebration in honour of the birthday of His Majesty the King. Trooping of the Colour in the Horse Guards Parade including a commentary by Major J. B. S. Bourne-May (late of Coldstream Guards). From the Horse Guards Parade, Whitehall, London.

7-7.15 p.m.—Musical Comedy.

Vocal Gems—

The New Moon

Songs—

To shield the husband's honour—

"Helen."

O Divine Couple—"Helen"

Friedrich Schuster (Soprano).

7.15 p.m.—From the Studio.

Talk—"The King's Personality" by

Sir William Hornell.

7.20 p.m.—"Fantasia on Melodies of Johann Strauss" (Weber).

7.30 p.m.—Cinema Organ Music.

Film Hits of the Moment.

Parade of Parades—Selection

Quentin M. Maclean

7.40 p.m.—From the Studio.

A Pianoforte Recital by Nura

Kanis.

Programme

1. Variations on a "Russian Folk

Dance" Beethoven.

2. Barcarolle Friedman.

3. Minuet Friedman.

8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m.—Songs by Alfred

Picaver (Tenor).

1. Thank God for a Garden (Del

Riego).

2. Roses of Picardy (Haydn Wood).

3. Trusting Eyes (Gartner).

4. I Heard You Singing (Coates).

8.15 p.m.—George Scott-Wood

(Piano-Accordion).

1. Speak to me of love (Lemoir).

2. Stars over Devon.

3. In a Little Gipsy Tea Room.

4. Lulu's Back in Town.

8.30 p.m.—The London Palladium

Orchestra.

Everybody's Songs (arr. Geck).

The Rose—A Selection of English

Melodies (arr. Myddleton).

Amina (Lincke).

Animal Antics—Novelty Intermezzo

(Waltz).

Princess Elizabeth (Crean).

March Review Medley (arr.

Woitachsch).

9 p.m.—A Relay of the Daventry

News Bulletin and Announcements

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9.20 p.m.—Military Band Music.

Pomp and Circumstances March No. 1

(Elgar).

Marche Lorraine (Ganne).

Softly awakes my heart

("Samson and Delilah")

(Saint-Saens)

War March of the Priests

(Mendelssohn)

Kirkby Malzeard Sword Dance—

Folk Dance (Cecil Sharp).

The Flamborough Sword Dance—

Folk Dance (arr. Cecil Sharp).

Neutical Moments (arr. Winter).

Hobomoko—Intermezzo (Reeves).

Wedding of the Rose (Jessel).

10 p.m.—Big Ben from Daventry.

10 p.m.—From the Studio.

A Variety Programme by Lee Wong

(Vocal), Harold Leong (Violin);

Colleen Parker (Vocal) and Doreen

Ma (Piano). Programme

1. Songs—

With all my heart,

Georgia on my mind

Colleen Parker.

2. Violin Solos—

Toddlin' Along with you

Sweet Music.

You took my breath away

Harold Leong

3. Songs—

My Heart and I

Moonburn

Lee Wong.

4. Violin Solo—

Indian Love Call

Harold Leong

BRIDGE NOTES

CROSS-RUFF

By Elg Culbertson

Inexperienced players, watching an expert manipulate a cross-ruff hand, are apt to form an erroneous impression of this most deadly—but most delicate—weapon. Often they are blinded by the pyrotechnical rapidity with which tricks apparently are snatched out of thin air, and it is this form of play, I think, that gives rise to the ridiculous impression that So-and-So "makes aces out of deuces." Actually it is largely a question of entries [assuming sufficient trumps] when the success of a cross-ruff plan is involved. To-day's hand does not illustrate a true cross-ruff situation, but the entry management is the same.

South, dealer.

Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH

S. K 7 4
H. 8 3 2
D. 8
C. J 9 8 6 5 2

WEST

S. J 10 8 5
H. 7 5
D. J 9 4 3 2
C. 10 7

EAST

S. Q 6 3
H. J 10 6 4
D. K 7 5
C. A K Q

SOUTH

S. A 9 2
H. A K Q 9
D. A Q 10 6
C. 4 3

South West North East
1H. Pass 1NT Pass
2NT Pass 3C. Pass
3D. Pass 3H. Pass
4H. Pass Pass Dbl.

[Final bid.]

Certainly South's bidding

was not characterised by great

pessimism, but the end justified

the means.

West opened the jack of

spades and North's king won

the trick. It was obvious that

dummy's clubs could not be

used for discarding purposes

because of lack of entries, so

declarer's first play was to

discard a diamond against the

king. The queen held and the

ace was laid down, a spade

being discarded from dummy.

A third round of diamonds was

ruffed and dummy's remaining

spade led to the ace, after which

a spade was led and ruff-

ed. Now the eight of hearts

was covered by East and won

by South, who had simply to

exit from his hand with either

a diamond or a club to insure

that his A K 9 tenace be led to

for the final three tricks of his

doubled contract.

TALK IN A CELL

Soldier Says He Was

Induced To Confess

Rifeman Frederick Charles Mc-

Cardell, of the 2nd Bn. the Cam-

erons (Scottish Rifles) alleged

at a Bordon court-martial last

month, when he was charged with

forging a comrade's signature

and drawing 35s from the other

man's savings bank account, that

he was induced to confess to the

offence.

"After I was arrested at Sand-

wich, Kent, for being an ab-

sentee," said McCardell, "Det.

Sergt. Sproul came to the cell,

gave me a cigarette, and asked

me if I liked the Army. I told

him I did not. He said that, if

I had done anything wrong in the

past, perhaps he could get me a

civil conviction, and I would get

my discharge from the Army. I

then made a confession to him."

This was denied by Sergt.

Sproul, who declared that Mc-

Cardell made the statement to him

in the usual way after he had

been cautioned.

McCardell was acquitted of this

charge, and the findings on a

charge of desertion will be made

known.

5. Songs—Medley:

Speaking Confidentially

Give me a heart to sing to.

I'm in love all over again.

Colleen Parker.

6. Violin Solos—

I'm Sitting high on a Hill Top.

I found a Dream

Harold Leong

7. Song—

What a difference a day made

10.20 p.m.—Dance Music by The

B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.

11 p.m.—GOD SAVE THE KING.

CLOSE DOWN.

Amusements

Cinema Notes From
The Theatres"THE BOHEMIAN GIRL"—
ORIENTAL THEATRE

Gypsy in atmosphere, the locale of "The Bohemian Girl" is mid-continent Europe. As an incident in Hardy's henpecked life his shrewish wife kidnaps a little Princess as she elopes with the handsome Devilshoof, played by Antonia Moreno. Laurel and thin air, and it is this form of play, I think, that gives rise to the ridiculous impression that So-and-So "makes aces out of deuces." Actually it is largely a question of entries [assuming sufficient trumps] when the success of a cross-ruff plan is involved. To-day's hand does not illustrate a true cross-ruff situation, but the entry management is the same.

In the supporting cast Moreno has one of his best parts as the romantic gypsy with whom Mrs. Hardy elopes. Mae Busch plays Mrs. Hardy, Jacqueline Wells of "Coronado" plays the grown-up Princess and other supporting roles are filled by James Finlayson, Darla Hood and William P. Carleton. The production was directed by James W. Horne and Charles Rogers.

"THE MILKY WAY"—STAR
THEATRE

Harold Lloyd timidly makes his way from millman obscurity to fighting fame in his new Paramount picture, "The Milky Way." He bridges the gap between a self-doubt and the instincts of the killer. Trouble comes to the spectacled comedian when two drunken fighters take a dislike to him. One swings at him but Lloyd, both frightened and fast on his feet, manages to duck. The middle-weight champion gets the full brunt of the blow intended for the millman, and is knocked out. Lloyd takes credit for the punch, and henceforth must make good and repeat his prowess in the ring as a title contender. Hilarity is the keynote of this picture.

The supporting cast of players consists of Adolphe Menjou, Verree Teasdale, Helen Mack, William Gargan, Dorothy Wilson and George Harrier.

"THE MOON'S OUR HOME"—
QUEEN'S THEATRE

This picture, starring Margaret Sullivan and Henry Fonda, is the story of two internationally famous persons who learn to hate each other by reputation, but fall desperately in love when they meet under assumed names. They marry, and the clash of temperaments results in a heated quarrel on their wedding night, with the bride walking out on the groom. Relenting, their efforts to find each other create many amusing situations.

The screen dramatisation was made from a Faith Baldwin story and was directed by William A. Seiter. Those supporting Miss Sullivan and Fonda in the cast are Henrietta Crossman, Charles Butterworth and Beniah Bondi.

"THE PRISONER OF SHARK
ISLAND"—KING'S AND
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Sporting Page

SOUTH CHINA "B" SELECT 17 PLAYERS TO VISIT BANGKOK

Several Matches Arranged For Return Trip

TEAM LEAVING ON JULY 5

TWO PRACTICE GAMES THIS WEEK

S.C.A.A. TAKING NO CHANCES REGARDING RETIREMENT OF OLYMPIC ACES

(By "REFEREE")

IN ORDER TO GIVE THEIR "B" TEAM FOOTBALLERS MORE EXPERIENCE IN ORDER THAT THEY MAY BE ABLE TO FILL ANY VACANCIES CAUSED BY MEMBERS OF THE "A" TEAM, AT PRESENT EN ROUTE TO THE BERLIN GAMES, GIVING UP THE GAME ON THEIR RETURN, THE SOUTH CHINA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION HAVE ACCEPTED THE INVITATION OF THE OVERSEAS CHINESE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF BANGKOK TO SEND A TEAM THERE AND PLAY A SERIES OF SIX GAMES.

The team will be composed of all the "B" team players at present in the Colony, together with several of the more promising of the junior players, and will be under the management of Mr. Ki Man-cheong, one of the football secretaries of the South China Athletic Association. Mr. Chow Yuen-ling will also accompany the team in the capacity of coach and trainer. The team is due to leave on July 5 and will proceed straight to Bangkok, where six games will be played. After that the team will play games in Saigon, Penang, Ipoh, Singapore and Kuala Lumpur, while attempts are being made to play the same teams there which played against the Chinese Olympic team recently.

The team expects to return to the Colony in the last week of August or in early September, well in time for the commencement of the League season.

To-morrow South China is meeting Lyemun at Caroline Hill, while another game has been arranged with a naval team for next Friday. These will be the only practice games prior to the Chinese team's departure.

The players chosen to make the trip are:—Wong Wah-kai and Sammy Tsang (goalkeepers); Chung Fai-lam, Lau Mau, Leung In-chun (backs); Lau Hing-choi, Lam Tak-po, Henry Young, Yau Wah-hing, Lau Ting-sang (half-backs); Ip Kuen-po, Lai Shui-wing, Ho Kar-keung, Chan Tak-fai, Li Shek-yau, Wong King-cheong, and Lee Wing-on (forwards).

Several of the above mentioned have figured prominently in local representative games, among whom are Leung In-chun, Lam Tak-po, Ho Kar-keung and Li Shek-yau.

Leung's Bad Luck
Leung In-chun, who has played for several years in the senior team, was very unfortunate not to be selected for the All-China team—he was ill during the trials, while Lam Tak-po is regarded by many as the most promising of the Chinese pivots in the Colony.

—he played last season in the Governor's Cup competition and in the Final of the Sunday Herald International Charity Cup competition against Portugal.

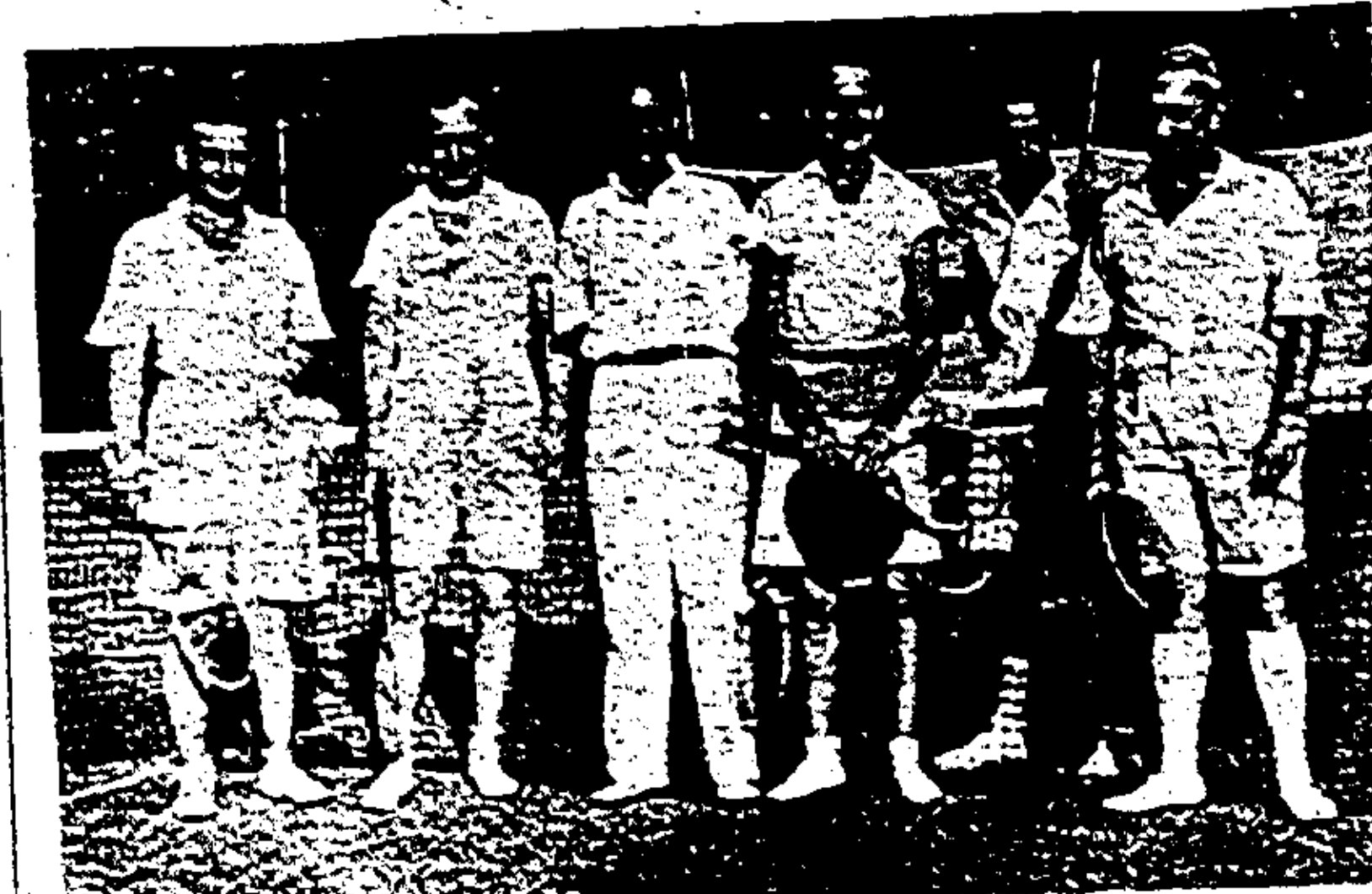
Ho Kar-keung, the former Athletic leader, did not do much in local football last season owing to knee trouble sustained early in the season, but he improved greatly in the closing stages of the season, while Lee Shek-yau has just returned from Shanghai, where he played for the Tung Wah team on the left wing.

Last year South China "B" made a similar tour under the management of Mr. Ho Yung-kyong, winning 12 of the 16 games played.

BRITAIN DEFEATS FRANCE AT AMATEUR GOLF
London, June 13.—England defeated France in an international men's amateur golf contest at Deal today by 5 matches to 2, with two halves. In the foursomes the teams shared the honour, each winning one and halving one, but the British golfers won four and halved one of the six singles.

BEN CHAMPION TRADED BY N. Y. YANKEES
New York, June 15.—In a surprise deal to-day, the New York Yankees traded Ben Chapman, outfielder, to the Washington Senators for Jake Powell, who generally plays centre-field. No cash was involved in the transaction.—United Press.

"C" Division Champions For 1936?



The Kowloon Cricket Club "A" team in the "C" Division of the Lawn Tennis League, above, are conceded an excellent chance of winning the title. From left to right are J. S. Smith, G. A. White, W. M. Gittins, R. S. Capell, P. A. Broadbridge and C. E. Watson. ("China Mail" photo).

ANOTHER HALF-CENTURY FOR FRANK WOOLLEY

London, May 27. Frank Woolley, epitome of cricketing grace and one of the deathless immortals of our great summer game, approaches yet another half-century to-day—a half-century, this time, in years. Kent's master stylist is celebrating his 49th birthday—and thus enters upon his fiftieth year.

What can one say of this lion-heart of the sun-lit field?—this master in whose hands the willow flows with such easy grace?

Nothing that does not add lustre to his name. Woolley is the d'Artagnan of cricket—the Gay Cavalier of bat and ball.

Crickets' Greatest Treat
Those who have not seen Woolley at his best, with runs flowing from the bat, have missed the greatest treat cricket has to give. It would be idle to recapitulate the colourful pages that Frank has added to the book of cricket. But let me bring back two vivid pictures.

Two Memories
Dover, 1934.—Northants in the field. Woolley at the wicket... driving, cutting, hooking ball after ball to the boundary.

One hundred and four smashing runs in 63 breathless minutes!... the fastest century of the year! Lord's, 1921.—England wickets tumbling like ninepins before the devastating might of Gregory and Macdonald.

In The Hero's Role
Giant blonde figure of Woolley grimly defending—alone—of England batsman to withstand Australian express.

Ninety-five of England's 187 in the first innings—93 in second. Woolley in the hero's role. Many, many happy returns of the day, Frank Woolley. Long may your figure grace the cricket field.—POLARIS.

BOTTLES FLY IN GARDEN

Latin Blood Rises At Boxing Bout

New York, June 15. Three beer bottles were hurled into the ring in Madison Square Garden in the third round of a recent 10-round battle between Pedro Montañez, of Puerto Rico, and Leonard del Genio of New York, which Pedro won handily by decision.

It was the Latin's fifteenth consecutive victory since he came to this country, and to-day he is awaiting Tony Canzonieri's signature on a contract for a world's lightweight title bout with the champion.

Latin blood in the gallery rose in the third round when the referee, Artie McGovern, warned Pedro about holding and hitting. (Continued on Page 5)

BASEBALL GAME TO-DAY

The Overseas Chinese are meeting U.S. Tulsa in a return baseball encounter at Canaway Bay this afternoon at 3.30 p.m. The sailors beat the Chinese by 4 runs to 3 on Sunday and this game should provide some good sport.

FRANK WYKOFF'S COMEBACK

SEEKING PLACE IN U.S. RELAY TEAM

100 METRES IN 10.5 SECS.

Whittier, Calif., May 20. FRANK WYKOFF'S comeback campaign placed the sandy-haired sprinter to-day among the powerful contenders for a berth on the American Olympic squad. In the 100 Metres event at the Whittier track, and field festival last night, he was timed at 10.5s., three-tenths of a second slower than the world mark. He finished a yard ahead of Foy Draper, University of California star.

Six years ago the former Trojan ace set a world's record of 9.4 in the 100 Yards, and it still stands. He gave up running after the 1932 Olympic Games, and only this spring decided to try a comeback for his third Olympiad. "I don't expect to land a place in the sprints," he said, "but I would like to get in on the relay team."

Still, another "comeback" venture proved successful last night when William (Bill) Graber, who set a world's pole vault record of 14ft. 4 3/4 in., leapt 14ft. 3 in. to capture the event.—Associated Press.

TENNIS WIN FOR KOWLOON

Watson And Capell Prominent

POSTPONED "C" FIXTURE

Kowloon Cricket Club played off their postponed "C" Division Lawn Tennis League fixture against Craigengower Cricket Club yesterday at King's Park and won by 6 sets to 3, thanks mainly to the efforts of C. E. Watson and R. S. Capell, who won all their matches. The rain that fell earlier in the afternoon rendered the courts Recreation Club, and due to the fact that the rain that fell shortly after 6 p.m. held up the games for some time, two or three matches were not finished until almost complete darkness had set in.

On the Recreation green R. Duncan and S. Randle were leading J. Ramsay and J. McKelvie 18-16 on the 19th end when the latter drew three shots. With his last wood, however, Randle carried the jack to lay six shots and thus make certain of victory. The Recreation quartette who played on the K.B.C.C. green figured in a very close fight, Noronha and Silva, finally beating Gutierrez and Remedios by 3 shots. Results of yesterday's games are as follows:—

Open Singles
A. E. Carey 21, J. S. Riddell 13 (18 heads) at L.R.C.

Open Pairs
J. E. Noronha and F. X. Silva 26, L. J. Gutierrez and A. A. dos Remedios 23, at K.B.C.C. (Continued on Page 9)

SEVEN-A-SIDE RUGBY RECORD

Over £1,700 has been distributed to hospital charities as the result of the Middlesex County R.F.U. seven-a-side competition, the finals of which were played at Twickenham on April 25.

F.A. SUSPENSION UPHOLD KOWLOON CHINESE GRANTED AFFILIATION

AN earnest appeal by Mr. T. A. Mitchell, Civilian Vice-president of the Hong Kong Football Association, for the remission of the remaining period of the suspension of Mui Sui-ki, of the Chinese Police Football team, who, on February 22, was suspended by the Emergency Committee for nine months for striking an opponent, met with no response at the meeting of the Council held last night at the Sports Club under the chairmanship of Colonel H. C. Harrison.

Others present were Messrs. T. A. Mitchell, vice-president, W. L. Alexander, T. G. Stokes, C. C. Cheung, H. K. Lee, C. M. Alves, S. Strange, C. Guimang, Lieut. C. Chaplin, Lieut. J. Wood, B. A. Captain Kimm A.B.C., acting Hon. Secretary, and S. Snaith, assistant Hon. Secretary.

YACHTING RESULTS

Colleen, sailed by Capt. N. Syddall, won the Mixed Class yacht race, which was decided over 5.75 miles yesterday. Ariel (Mr. N. D. Lloyd) was second and Painted Lady (Major F. C. Booty) third in a field of nine starters.

U.S. POLO ACES NOT EXCITED BY OLYMPIAD

Chances Depend On Change Of View

THREAT TO ARGENTINE

Chicago, June 2. The American Olympic Committee cannot get its star polo players excited about the Berlin Olympic Games.

The committee's one chance for polo representation hinges on the rivalry cropping up this summer in the international tournament at Hurlingham, England, a few weeks before the Olympic matches. The United States has two teams entered at Hurlingham. If either or both fours catch the Olympic spirit at this tournament, the United States has an excellent chance to unseat the Argentine as Olympic champions, the committee contend.

Pioneer Project

"Polo was omitted from the 1928 and 1932 games," a committee spokesman said. "Consequently its revival this year is somewhat of a pioneer project and interest has been running behind schedule."

America's leading contenders in the international matches will probably be led by Eric Pedley, with Cecil Smith, Robert Bullock and another player yet to be named for the Charles E. Wightman four. Winston Guest's Templeton four, winner of the national open, also will make the trip. This team may include Winston and Raymond Guest, Michael Phipps and James P. Mills, or Stewart Iglehart. The United States finished second in the 1924 Olympic matches.—United Press.

MRS. MOLLISON IN KING'S CUP RACE

Mrs. Amy Mollison is to compete in the King's Cup air race, to be held on July 10 and 11, for the first time. She has chosen the machine which Col. Lindbergh tried out recently at Hanworth. A three-seater cabin plane with a retractable undercarriage, it has a cruising speed of 130 m.p.h. and a top speed of 150 m.p.h.

Mr. T. G. Stokes, related how the Police, dissatisfied with the heavy sentence inflicted on the player, had lodged an appeal, but had been advised to withdraw it for certain reasons, but how they had been assured by a senior member of the Council that the case would be sympathetically reconsidered at the end of the season.

The Council discussed the matter at length but the appeal was not supported. The application of the Kowloon Chinese Football Club for affiliation to the Association was granted.

The Annual Meeting of the Association will be held in the Sports Club on Tuesday, July 14.

JAPANESE AT HENLEY

Olympic Team For Regatta

(By POLARIS)

London, May 27. We look on Henley Regatta as one of the most English of English sporting occasions—but this year there's going to be a touch of the Orient about our riverside gala.

Seems that I'll have to polish up my Japanese, for the Olympic eight from the land of Nippon are due to make their bow in the Grand Challenge Cup.

A Special Boat

Overseas challenge comes from various lands. Kent School, American winners of Thames Challenge Cup in 1933, specially-constructed boat. (Continued on Page 5.)

CHINESE SOCCER TEAM INVADERS EUROPE

APPREHENSION IN LONDON

(By POLARIS)

London, May 27. Mention of the Japs reminds me that among soccer competitors at the Olympic Games there will be the Chinese.

Johnnie Chinaman takes his football seriously these days. When Hong Kong played Canton recently the crowd was 90,000!—representing a "gate" that makes even Arsenal crowds seem ordinary.

My Chinese correspondent, now in captivity, tears himself away from his chop-suey to tell me that Ted Drake has nothing on centre-forward Lee Wai-tong.

Austria—Belgium... and now China! Ah, well—we once beat Bohemia by 4-0!

BEN CHAMPION TRADED BY N. Y. YANKEES

New York, June 15.—In a surprise deal to-day, the New York Yankees traded Ben Chapman, outfielder, to the Washington Senators for Jake Powell, who generally plays centre-field. No cash was involved in the transaction.—United Press.

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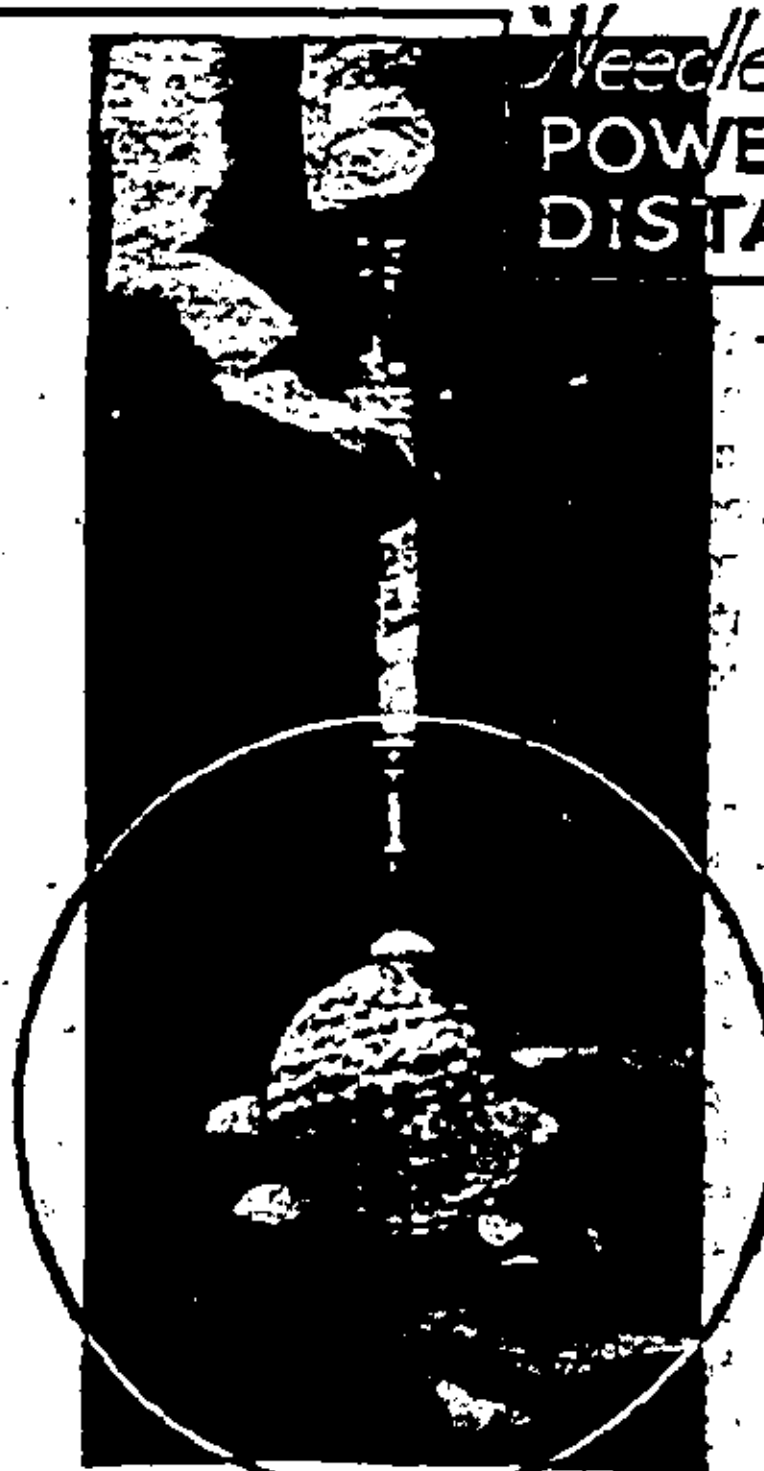
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VERITY SEEKS NEW MARK

100 WICKETS BEFORE JUNE 12:
56 IN 19 DAYS

HEDLEY VERITY, whose name is indelibly inscribed on the rolls of cricket fame, has his eyes firmly set on yet another record.

The quickest time in which a bowler has taken 100 wickets is from the season's opening day to June 12. J. T. Hearne established the record in 1896—Charlie Parker equalled it in 1931.

CHELSEA CAPTURE

R. Foss, Southall Inside Left, Signed

Southall's inside-left, R. Foss, whose brilliant constructive work played such a big part in the Athenian club's remarkable run of cup successes last season, has signed professional forms for Chelsea.

He is 22, and formerly assisted Enfield. Before joining Southall he helped Park Royal to win the London League Championship in 1934-35.

BABE DIDRICKSON'S HOLE-IN-ONE

Scored At Oakmont Country Club

Glendale, California, June 15.

Mildred (Babe) Didrickson, the "one-woman track team," who has achieved the greatest heights in all sorts of sports competition, has now achieved the golfer's dream—a hole-in-one. Playing with the veteran pro-

Verity, in the first 19 days of the present season, captured 56 wickets. Sixteen playing days remain for him to get the additional 44.

Can Verity do it? There'll be high jinks in Yorkshire if he does.

Portugal To Gloucester

It is good to see that attractive left-hander, B. O. Allen, back in the Gloucestershire eleven.

Last year, business limited his county appearances to three—those three matches enabled him to head the Gloucester batting with an average of 46.33.

Allen, who followed his promise at Clifton by batting consistently and well for Cambridge and Gloucester, has just returned from Portugal, where he rattled up a number of useful scores for a team of Worcestershire amateurs.

Professional, MacDonald Smith, over the Oakmont Country Club course, Miss Didrickson holed out a niblick shot on the 105-yard third green.

She played on even terms with the old master of the links, turning in a 76 for the eighteen holes, just three strokes more than the Carnoustie Scot. Far for men was 70.—Reuter.

PAUL FU TO REPRESENT CHINA AT BERLIN

MACARTNEY AND BARRACKERS

"PART AND PARCEL" OF THE GAME

FRIEND AND FOE TREATED ALIKE

C. G. MACARTNEY, former Australian Test player, disagrees with what he terms the unwarranted harsh remarks on barracking, made by Frank Woolley in his book, "King of Sports." "Barracking at cricket matches is seldom offensive, and it is unfair and unjust to describe it as a pestilence and as being objectionable," says Macartney (quoted by Reuter).

He continues: "Spectators who barrack are generally excellent judges of the game, and frequently I have listened to many words of wisdom from them. I seldom found any attacks to be more than harmless chaff, and it is the player's own fault if he takes them badly."

"Such men as Hendren and Tate were always popular with the barracking crowd; yet they received attention from the 'Hillites' on many occasions."

"Barracking has always been accepted in Australia as part and parcel of the game. If it were abolished from our cricket grounds, the game would develop into a gloomy and serious business. Cricket would be robbed of many of its amusing features."

Absurd Suggestion

"Woolley's suggestion that barracking may prevent English sides from coming to Australia is absurd."

Macartney concluded: "Sydney crowds treat friend and foe alike. Any cricketer who objects to mild criticism from those who have come to be entertained, can study his sporting qualities with profit to himself."

FRED PERRY NOT A COACH

"NO IDEA HOW HE PLAYS"

"BUNNY" AUSTIN'S VIEWS

Fred Perry would not be a success as a coach!

This is the suggestion of H. W. ("Bunny") Austin in an interesting, outspoken article, "Champions and Coaches," in the 1936 Lowe's Lawn Tennis Annual.

His remarks may cause controversy.

Austin's reason for this suggestion is that Perry is a natural player, and has no idea how he does play—a fact Perry is proud of!

He believes that national coaching schemes fail because coaches do not really know their business.

A Fine Annual

Lowe's contains a great amount of information.

Everything the lawn tennis enthusiast needs is there.

In the preface, the editor, Sir F. Gordon Lowe, Bt., says that England should maintain her tennis position in 1936.

BUSWELL'S CHANCE

Young Fast Bowler To Play For Northants

London, May 29.

Northamptonshire, who meet Leicestershire at Leicester on Saturday, will give a trial to a new young fast bowler in Buswell, a member of the ground staff.

Buswell will take the place of Clark, the left-hander.

Timms cannot turn out owing to an injured thumb, while Cox is to have a rest.

JAPANESE AT HENLEY

(Continued from Page 4)

An entry for the Diamond Sculls will be here again—complete with Australia's representative for Berlin.

Pearce is a relative of H. E. (Bob) Pearce, professional sculling champion of world.

If young Pearce possesses anything of Bob's class, our men are in for a warm time.

DUKE OF WESTMINSTER BUYS FRENCH COLT

Moody: A Three-Year-Old For Capt. Percy Whittaker's Stables

Paris, May 21.—The exodus of French horses to England continues. The Duke of Westminster has purchased from M. Francois Bertrin, Moody, the three-year-old colt that finished second in the French Two Thousand Guineas, won by Davout, in record time, last Sunday.

Moody, a bay colt who won three of his six races as a two-year-old, is to be sent to Capt. Percy Whittaker's stables at Newmarket.

GIMBLETT CERTAINTY FOR TESTS

SECOND IN BATTLING LISTS

DEMPSTER AND VERITY HEAD AVERAGES

London, June 1.

Harold Gimblett, the much-discussed young Somerset batsman, will, barring the unforeseen, go to Australia next September as a member of the M.C.C. touring team. He is now second in the county cricket batting averages, with 92.14.

He possesses those unusual qualities of eye, adjustment, and timing which go to make the master artist with the bat.

O'Reilly's leg-trap, which he used with such success in South Africa, is immeasurably less effective against a left-hander.

The point is one which may favour the inclusion of other left-handers, as well as Leyland, and improve the chances of such players as Fishlock, of Surrey; Smith, of Derbyshire; and Paynter, of Lancashire.

The first class averages to date this season are as follows:

Batting

(Qualification six innings, average 36)

	I	R	HS	No.	Ave.
C. S. Dempster	7	481	164	3	120.25
Gimblett	10	645	160	3	92.14
Leyland	8	604	263	1	86.28
Harris	7	427	135	2	85.40
Fishlock	13	655	133	5	81.87
E. R. T. Holmes	12	726	171	2	72.60
Pothecary	10	340	100	5	68.00
T. N. Pearce	12	562	102	3	55.17
Headen	12	625	202	1	52.08
M. J. Turnbull	8	405	134	0	50.72
Paynter	11	454	132	2	50.44
Kecton	7	297	103	1	49.50
A. B. Sellers	9	338	204	2	48.28
Wright	11	338	71	4	48.28
Davies (E)	9	386	130	1	48.25
R.C.M. Kimpton	10	472	106	0	47.20
Parks (H)	12	560	174	0	46.66
Ashdown	12	501	187	1	45.54
Townsend (L.F.)	9	362	182	1	45.25
Bakewell	10	351	100	2	43.87
Iddon	11	480	136	0	43.63
Green	11	392	94	2	43.55
M. Ishanjar					
Khan	10	386	133	1	42.88
Elliot (H)	9	204	63	4	40.50
Fagg	12	446	136	1	40.54
Smart (C)					
(Glamorgan)	8	283	123	1	40.42
Langridge					
(James)	11	437	167	0	39.72
C. G. A. Paris	10	393	101	0	39.30
J. N. Grover	6	232	119	0	38.66
Washbrook	12	385	55	2	38.50
Crook	8	263	69	1	37.57
A. F. T. White	10	324	93	1	37.11
Barling	14	491	106	1	37.00
Hopwood	12	367	111	2	36.70
Hulme	8	293	101	0	36.62
Barber	10	255	158	3	36.42
Mitchell (A)					
(Yorkshire)	9	327	57	0	36.33
James	8	254	88	1	36.38
N. W. D. Yardley	8	290	101	0	36.25
Alderman	10	326	77	1	36.22
* Not out.					

Bowling

(Qualifications 15 wickets, average 24)

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Ave.
Verity	300.4	109	596	69	8.53
Copson	177.3	49	452	37	12.21
R. W. V.					
Robins	135.2	31	353	25	12.68
Geary	222.2	80	398	28	13.89
Smalles	84	16	223	16	14.31
Gover	314	60	917	54	16.98
L. A. R.					
Peebles	131	19	392	21	18.66
Parks	245	48	616	35	18.66
Wright	146.3	19	454	24	18.31
Freeman	245.5	48	705	37	19.09
J. W. A.					
Stephenson	212.1	48	564	29	19.44
Watts	241.1	54	645	33	19.54
Parker	181.5	17	304	15	20.26
Pope (A.V.)	188.5	43	291	19	20.57
Mercer	231	50	537	28	21.32
Smith (J.)					
(Middlesex)	223	52	475	22	21.59
Nichols	157.3	25	460	21	21.96
Simms	392.4	85	969	44	22.47
Goddard	420.4	108	1,050	46	22.82

PLUCKY EFFORT WHEN UNFIT

CLEAR BAR AT 3.86 MS. IN POLE VAULT

WANG OFFERS KEEN RESISTANCE

Shanghai, June 17.
PAUL FU, point winner in the last Far Eastern Olympic Games and national pole vault champion, won his tryout against H. Wang at the Stadium yesterday in a test to decide as to who will represent China in this event at the World Olympic Games in Berlin next August.

Fu was not in the best of form, as he had just recently recovered from an attack of pneumonia, and did not have any chance to practice. However, determined to gain a place on the Olympic team he fought against all odds and emerged triumphant. His victory was a popular one.

Fu's best leap over the bar was 3.86 metres, several inches below what he could do. At his best, he has cleared over four metres. H. Wang gave him stiff opposition at the outset, and for a time, it looked as if he was going to beat the champion. But as the bar was gradually heightened, Fu proved his prowess by soaring over 3.86 metres which Wang could not negotiate. Wang's best mark was 3.62 metres. He will be put on the reserve list for the Berlin trip.

The whole Olympic track and field team came out yesterday for a stiff workout, but no official records were taken of their performances. Another workout is slated for this afternoon.—China Press.

MILLWALL SIGN A FORWARD

And Induce Centre-Half To Return

Millwall have secured the transfer of George L. Burditt, a centre-forward, of Notts Forest, for whom he made 16 appearances in the Second Division last season and scored 10 goals, and no fewer than 55 goals in Midland League games.

F. L. Hancock, centre-half, has also returned to Millwall. He was not retained the season before last, and played last season with Wigan Athletic, winners of the Cheshire County League. Mr. Hewitt, the new Millwall manager is negotiating for the transfers of more new players.

C. J. OLIVER RETIRES

New Zealand Centre Out Of Rugby

Owing to the recurrence of an injury sustained at Abertillery during the recent tour, C. J. Oliver, the New Zealand centre-threequarter, has been forced to retire from Rugby, states Reuter from Christchurch (N.Z.).

Oliver, who is only 30, is one of the few players who have represented his country in both Rugby and cricket Test matches. He toured England with the cricket team of 1927. He first represented New Zealand in Rugby Tests in 1928.

STILL BEDRIDDEN

Carnera May Have To Be Moved To Hospital

London, May 29.

Primo Carnera, who was seized with paralysis in his left leg during his fight with Leroy Haynes on Wednesday, is still bedridden in his hotel (states Reuter).

Unless his condition shows improvement to-day, the doctor plans to move Carnera to hospital for a more complete examination by a neurologist.

No mention has yet been made concerning Carnera's future plans.

A. P.

Singleton	165.3	50	414	18	23.00
Hazell	171.2	26	520	23	23.04
Howarth	263.2	66	738	22	23.06
Howes	201.2	59	396	17	23.29
Simms	215.5	39	666	28	23.78
Yawson	184.3	36	480	20	24.00

PUTTING A KICK INTO CRICKET

Middlesex Men Who Play Soccer

"PATSY" HENDREN WAS FULL INTERNATIONAL!

(By "LEIGHTON")

London, June 9.
Talking of football, five Middlesex men who are playing against Sussex at Lord's, know all about the winter game.

Here they are: R. W. V. Robins (Cambridge blue and Corinthians), H. F. Benka (Dulwich Hamlet and The Casuals), "Patsy" Hendren (Brentford), Joe Hulme and Dennis Compton (Arsenal).

Hendren was a sturdy outside left; did great work for Brentford. Sixteen years ago he was awarded a full international cap.

Sussex team includes Tom Cook (Brighton and Hove, Bristol Rovers, Northfleet), George Cox (recently transferred from Arsenal to Fulham), Harry Parks (left half, Hastings and St. Leonards), John Langridge (centre half, Lewes).

Tom Cook rose to England international rank.

CENTURY BEFORE LUNCH

Gimblett Scores 106 But Average Falls

London, May 25.

Gimblett got a century before lunch to-day. Curiously, his average falls from 114.00 to 112.40, as his total was 106 and the number of innings to be divided into his total runs—562—is now five. Prior to to-day, it was four and his aggregate 456.

It was Gimblett's third hundred this season, scored in 115 minutes. Croom played throughout the Warwickshire innings for the fourth time in his career. His 62 out of 133 included ten boundaries.

Woodhead got his first half-century for Notts in the game against Hampshire.

GEORGE GEARY IN A THRILLER

Dempster Hits Six With Last Man In

London, May 26.

George Geary's benefit match ended before lunch to-day in a win for Leicester by one wicket.

It was an exciting finish. With the last pair in Leicestershire still wanted eleven, Dempster hit a 6 and later made the winning hit.

The match was not very profitable for George, a lion-hearted cricketer, who has more than once rescued England as a batsman, as this was hardly two full days' cricket.

NEW PALACE FORWARD

J. G. Watson, inside and wing forward of Coventry City, formerly with Everton, has been signed by Crystal Palace.

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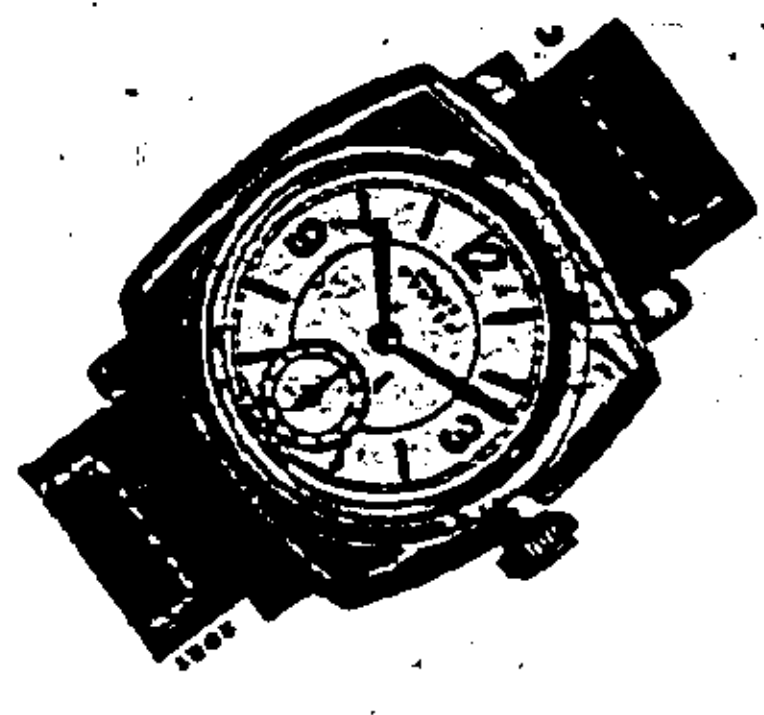
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Municipalities And The State

The paradox of a National (but mainly Conservative) Government controlling the State and a Socialist majority controlling the municipal destinies of the capital of that State, as in England, is not, of course, unique, but it is sufficiently unusual to be interesting. As all the world knows, the Socialist administration of Vienna found itself in this position for some time before London rejected the arid blandishments of the Municipal Reform Party and elected the Socialists to the County Council in their place. Most people are familiar, also, with the excellent work, in the direction of housing especially, performed by the Socialist administration of Vienna in the teeth of the actual or implied criticism of the Liberal administration of the country. Similarly, the London County Council has only too often come up against a certain amount of opposition to its schemes. The final decision about Waterloo Bridge was one instance; another is the proposed new airport for the City of London, which, since it will add to the rates and apparently is not really needed, is also meeting with some opposition in public and the press.

These are routine matters, of course, which any municipal administration, whatever its political texture, is likely to meet. What is of more importance to the State at large is the matter of political decisions on apparently small questions which are not in ordinary conditions subjected to the searching test of publicity. For instance, no explanation whatever was offered at last month's meeting of the London Education Committee for its refusal to allow the late Lord Beatty's Empire Day message to be read in the L.C.C. Schools. None is to be found in the message itself, the text of which was published by the press in Hong Kong, unless the Socialist majority of the London County Council holds it to be wrong that the children in the State schools in the capital of the Empire should declare their loyalty to the Throne or express thankfulness that they "are citizens of a great and united Empire, powerful in the cause of world peace." Or perhaps it was that hated "militarism" which the Socialists are always inveighing against; though there appears to be precious little taint of it in the Admiral's wish for "a greater measure of tolerance and understanding among the nations" or in his urging that all shall determine "to play our part in upholding the great traditions of our race." All this may, of course, be part of that consistent policy of discouraging the idea of Empire, which permits of no compromise even to honour the memory of a great sailor or to convey good wishes to the new occupant of a Throne. But how much of it really signifies the common wish of the common people in these respects? What price intolerance, in fact?

Two other incidents of a like nature have recently been reported. Permission to use Battersea Park for a recruiting effort for the Territorials, who would be charged with the defence of London in case of attack from the air, was refused. After protest a compromise was made, whereby the display was permitted to be held on Clapham Common. But the incident illustrates the

CORRESPONDENCE

MR. W. H. DONALD SOUGHT

[To The Editor, "China Mail"]
Sir,—Excuse me for taking the liberty of writing you. I am desirous of finding the address of my brother Mr. W. H. Donald, whom I have not heard from for a period of over two years. The last occasion I had a letter was from Hankow, in April 1934. Since that date I have written many letters, but have had no reply. The last two letters were returned to me unopened, endorsed, "Address not known."

I have heard through the Chinese Consular Service, Australia, that Dr. Chen, Consul-General, for Australia, when in China last November and December, endeavoured to find my brother, but was unsuccessful. He did however hear that "he was going to Hong Kong to recuperate after an illness."

If you have not happened to meet him, maybe you know of someone who might know him and where he might be.

Thanking you in anticipation.
HERBERT DONALD.
[Any information concerning the above person will be appreciated.—Ed.]

ORDINANCES OF HONG KONG

Chinese Translation Issued

The first volume of a most valuable work of reference, published by the Overseas Chinese Daily News Ltd., (Wah Kiu Yat Po), consisting of a translation into Chinese of the Ordinances of Hong Kong, has just been issued. The work is being prepared by Mr. Ma Yuen and will be completed with the second volume, to be issued in due course.

The first volume covers the period of 1844 to 1900, and the completed work will include the year 1936.

NEW EVIDENCE FORWARD

Car Clue In Rick Mystery

Oxford.—Police enquiries into the mystery of the death of Mr. Thomas Moss, the Oxford undergraduate found dead beside a burning rick at Stadhampston, have been concentrated in the village of Little Milton.

They are anxious to see if further information can be obtained to support Miss McPherson-Westbrook's statement that she heard a peculiar sound at about two o'clock on the night Moss died. She described it as between a shriek and a groan, and thought it "was a muffled choking sound, as if someone was being strangled." Every householder in the village was questioned by the police. One of them, Miss Mason, reported hearing a car pass her cottage at about two a.m. that morning.

workings of the Socialist mentality somewhat illuminatingly. So does the refusal of the Southwark Borough Council to grant pay during absence in camp to those of its employees who are members of the Territorial Force, which was also recently reported. Here again, can the action be put down to stolid maintenance of a principle or to just plain cussedness? A very much larger question of principle is also involved. When the Government is making a great effort to secure the safety of the country, can it permit minor authorities to jeopardise its endeavours? How far, in fact, can the State administration use its discretion in overriding the decisions of Municipal authorities; even of the capital? The question is likely to be raised in serious form one of these days if things like this continue. No doubt constitutional issues are involved; and we are no authority on constitutional law. But the State considers it to be a serious act for an individual to attempt to subvert the loyalty of the fighting forces. Can active discouragement of membership of the Territorials be brought into this province? And if so, cannot municipalities and municipal committees who do so be rightly and truly squashed?

Here There and Everywhere.

WARWICK CASTLE REMBRANDTS
Warwick Castle, where Lord Warwick has discovered drawings by the old masters, was a famous art treasure house last century.

The find of some sketches by Rembrandt comes as a reminder that the master's great painting of the Standard-bearer of Amsterdam (bought in the sale of Sir Joshua Reynolds's collection) used to hang at Warwick Castle.

It was sold privately to George J. Gould of New York. Then it passed into the possession of Mr. Jules Bache, who in 1929 lent it to the Burlington House Exhibition. He missed it so much that he paid a special visit to London in order to see it.

A century ago the ubiquitous Dr. Waagen greatly admired the famous marble Warwick vase. This trophy, seven feet in diameter, was found by Sir William Hamilton in Hadrian's villa at Tivoli, and he presented it to the Lord Warwick of the time.

Your Daily Smile!

In Between
A tramp called at a wayside cottage and asked for a little food to help him on his way.

"But you're a big, strong, healthy-looking man," said the cottager. "Why don't you do some work?"

"Well, madam," said the tramp, with a shrug of his shoulders, "I tell you my trouble. I'm what they call an unhappy medium."

"Unhappy medium!" echoed the other. "What do you mean by that?"

"I'm too light for heavy work and too heavy for light work," was the reply.

FREE IN PRISON

A certain celebrity always wears his hair very long. One day his wife who is a neat person, said to him in exasperation:

"When are you going to get your hair cut?"

"Oh," he replied, airily, "when I get time, my dear."

"In that case," she said, "they'll do it free."

COMMON KIND

A lady stopped at the clock counter. "I want an alarm clock, please," she said. "One that will rouse the maid without waking the whole family."

"Sorry, madam," replied the salesman. "I'm afraid we only stock the ordinary kind, which rouses the whole family without waking the maid."

FOLLOWING ITALY'S CONQUEST

WHAT OF THE FUTURE OF EUROPE?

MANY IMPORTANT FACTORS TO BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION

(By Brig.-Gen. E. L. Spears, M.P.)

TO those Members of Parliament, supporters of the National Government, who, like myself, appealed for, and no doubt obtained, the votes of electors of all parties for the principles enunciated by Sir Samuel Hoare at Geneva in September, recent events have been a painful experience.

Many of us felt it our duty to oppose the Hoare-Laval proposals. Was this a wise step in view of what has happened since?

Had those proposals been acted upon a portion of Abyssinia might have survived as a vassal Italian State, and above all many lives might have been spared. But the Hoare-Laval plan would not have been accepted by Abyssinia; it would have had to be imposed upon her. She believed then in her power of resistance, and hoped, as we did, that sanctions would in time prove effective.

I do not think we were wrong to refuse to join in imposing upon her, in violation of every League principle so recently proclaimed by our Government and endorsed by our electorate, terms that she considered unacceptable.

Like Cannibal Feast

To-day we are faced with a situation that is the complete negation of our hopes. The most barefaced aggression, carried out in violation of the most solemn treaties with complete ruthlessness, has resulted in the destruction of the victim, under the eyes of some 50 States members of the League, none of them completely helpless or quite unarmed, and all pledged to support each other if attacked.

We are now invited to watch the process of one member of the League calmly digesting another one, and growing fat and strong on the meal. It seems to me very much like assisting at a cannibal feast.

The League has failed. It is essential to ascertain the causes of its failure. Some of them are

obvious enough. The root trouble has been that the democracies forming part of it were quite unprepared to run the risk of war for a principle, however vital. In this they differ from countries governed by dictators, who, as we have seen in the case of both Italy and Germany, are quite prepared to run that risk.

Unless this fact is faced and met, collective security must be consigned to the lumber-room of history, where good ideas that were never carried out are relegated, and where are stored the schemes humanity was too weak, too short-sighted or too selfish to apply.

Unprepared

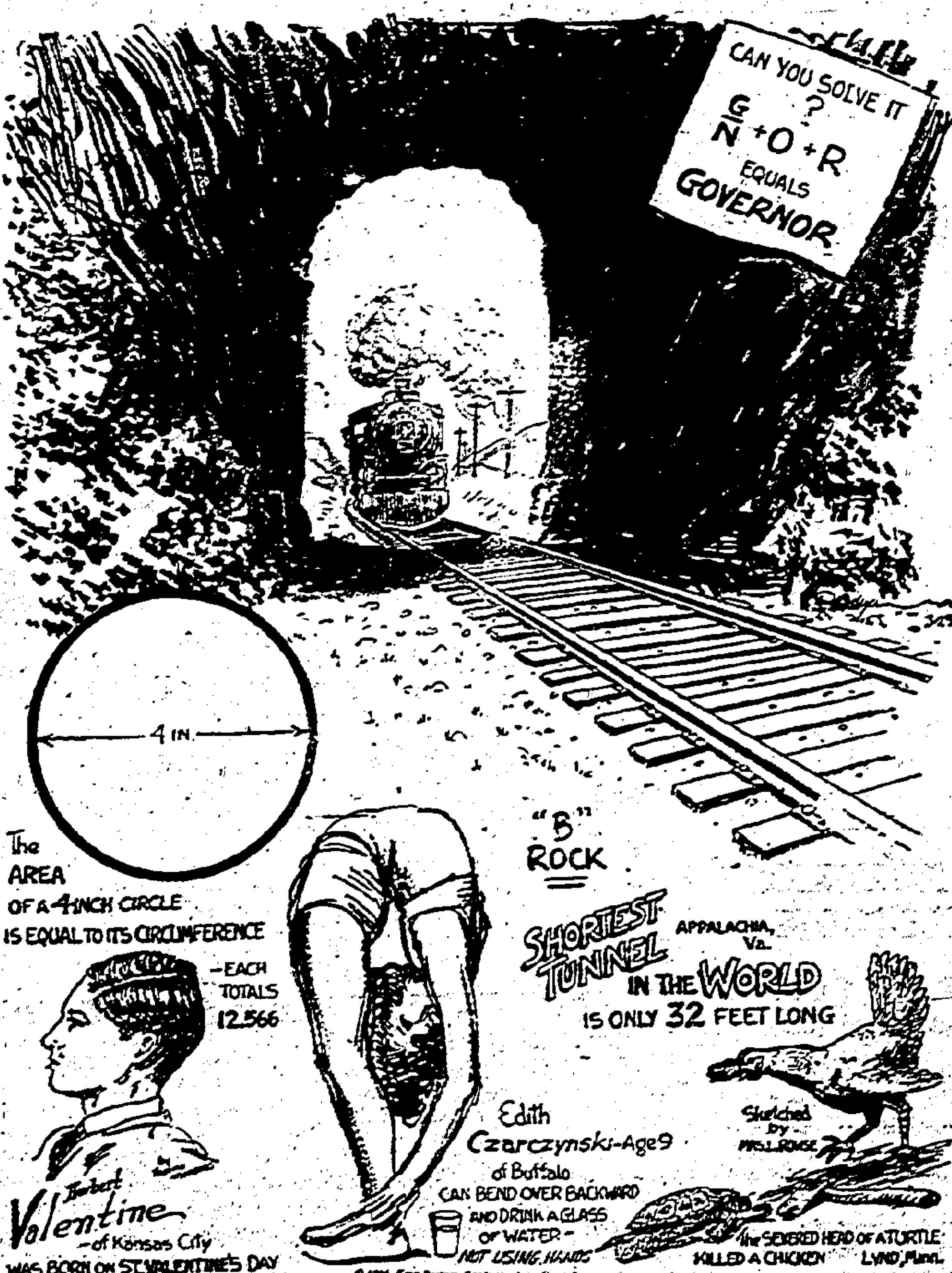
That most of the nations members of the League were materially unprepared for an armed struggle with Italy is true, but this is mainly due to the fact that, excepting for those who felt armaments to be necessary for their own safety, they one and all found it cheaper to protest their will to peace rather than make sacrifices to enforce it.

To-day, when we are contemplating the dashing of the hopes we had based on the League, how ridiculous and blind appear in retrospect those who for years gladdened their hearts with the sweet sounds of their own peaceful pipings, and refused to believe that force was necessary to maintain order. They, together with those who indulged in false sentimentality, must bear a heavy share of responsibility for the fact that the League seems to be on the verge of collapsing, under the blows of a dictator.

Their place on the public rostrums has been taken by the so-called realists, who say to us: "Face the facts. Unpleasant though they are, accept them. There are more trials ahead. You will need Italy in Europe, do not quarrel with her over an episode that is closed."

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



CAN YOU SOLVE IT?
E + N + O + R
EQUALS
GOVERNOR.

4 IN.
The AREA OF A 4-INCH CIRCLE IS EQUAL TO ITS CIRCUMFERENCE.

8" ROCK
SHORTEST TUNNEL IN THE WORLD IS ONLY 32 FEET LONG.

Edith Czarzynski-Age 9
of Buffalo CAN BEND OVER BACKWARD AND DRINK A GLASS OF WATER WITHOUT USING HER HANDS.

Valentine
of Kansas City WAS BORN ON ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.

Sketches of a million
THE SKELETON HEAD OF A TURTLE KILLED A CHICKEN.

PURITAN PARSON CLERGYMAN OBJECTS TO ALL DANCING

Lay-Reader Dismissed
And Church Closed

DANCE HELD FOLLOWING
WEDDING CELEBRATION

Feeling has been running high in the village of Withnell, Lancashire, following the dismissal by the vicar, the Rev. S. J. Archer, of the lay reader at St. Luke's mission church, Mr. D. Barker, and the closing of the church over a difference of opinion about dancing at a wedding celebration.

Parishioners of St. Luke's have taken their stand with the lay reader and propose to inaugurate a branch of the "unattached" Church of England with a separate church unless the vicar immediately reinstates Mr. Barker and reopens the mission church.

"Defiant Disloyalty"

This the vicar resolutely refused to do, and in an interview he stated: "I have definite views, and Mr. Barker should have shown loyalty to me by having held his peace or by assuring me that he was in sympathy with me. Instead, Mr. Barker's attitude has been one of defiant disloyalty, and because of that he was dismissed."

Mr. Archer says a deputation told him that if news of the dispute became public his chance of securing a better living would be spoiled.

"This intimidation does not disturb me in the least," said Mr. Archer. "The latest thing I hear is that they are going to starve me out. How they are going to do it I don't know. If my living had to depend on money from those who are causing the trouble I would have been in the workhouse long ago."

All Dancing Wrong
Mr. Archer, who contends that he was within his rights in dismissing the lay reader, believes that dancing is wrong in all circumstances.

The dispute was brought to a head following a wedding feast on the mission premises, when some dancing took place. Mr. Barker did not attend the wedding feast, but the vicar holds him responsible for what occurred.

Mr. T. S. Pringle, a former secretary of the Parochial Church Council, was instructed by the parishioners to get in touch with the Archdeacon of the Blackburn diocese with a view to asking the vicar to resign.

LIFE RISKED TO SAVE CAT AND KITTEN

Carried To Safety From
Burning Oil Shop

John Humphreys, 26, of St. George's Square, S.W., risked his life to rescue a cat and its kitten from the oil shop of his employer, Mr. Charles Austin, in Crown-court, Pall Mall, S.W. Humphreys, after raising the alarm, found the cat and carried it to safety.

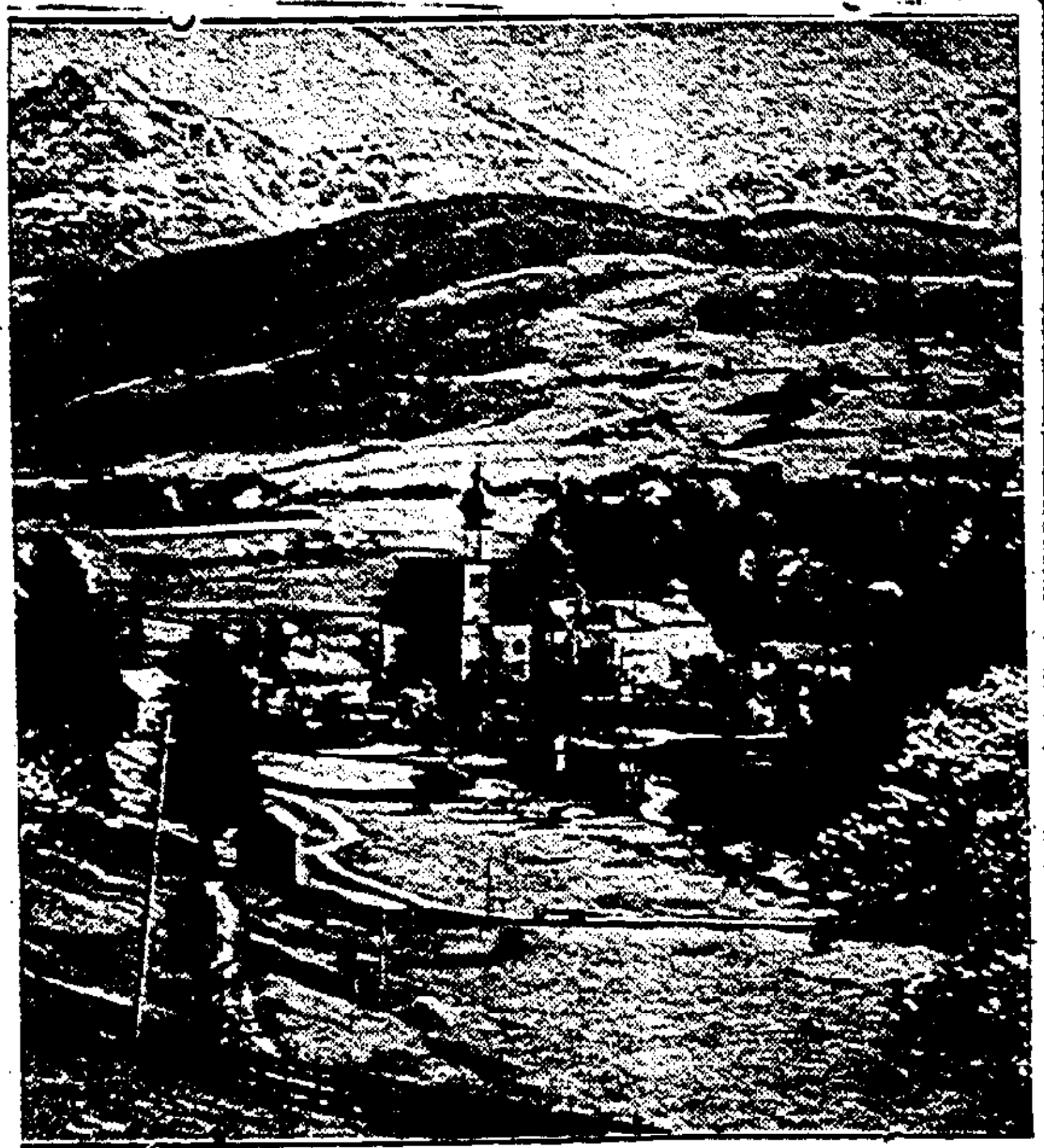
He returned to the shop and after groping about for ten minutes found the kitten.

NOTED WINCHESTER FIGURE GONE

"Auntie Norton" Dead

The death occurred at Winchester last month of Miss Elizabeth Norton, familiar to generations of Winchester boys as the proprietress of a small general shop near the college. She was 85 years old. It was over 60 years ago that the shop was first opened, and "Auntie Norton" was as she delighted to be known—catered for schoolboy needs, from pen nibs to cricket bats. Demand led her to extend her business by including a postal department.

Lord Wigram, private secretary to the King, and Sir Kingsley Wood, Minister of Health, are among the well-known men who would never visit Winchester without paying their respects to Auntie Norton.



The beauties of spring in the German Alps are amply displayed by the green meadows and villages shown in the above photograph of the Chiemsee region.

NEW COLOUR FILM MR. C. B. COCHRAN TO PRODUCE ENGLISH MUSIC-HALL CAVALCADE

Mr. Charles B. Cochran is to make his first film. He has signed a contract with Mr. Max Schach, managing director of the Capitol Film Corporation, to produce the film, which will be entirely in colour, in September.

This will be the first time that England's greatest showman has

LONDON-PARIS AIR JOURNEY CUT LARGELY GATWICK AS RIVAL TO CROYDON

FORTY-FIVE MINUTES SAVED
ON NEW ROUTE

Air travel between London and Paris has been speeded up by the opening at Gatwick, Surrey, of what is claimed to be the most up-to-date airport in Europe.

There will be a saving on average times of 45 minutes compared with Croydon, and 25 minutes compared with Heston.

The following approximate table shows how the savings are made:

	Gatwick	Croydon
Victoria to aerodrome	0hr 40min	0hr 45min
Flying time	1hr 35min	2hr 15min
Le Bourget to Paris	0hr 40min	0hr 40min

Total 2hr 55 min 3hr 40min
Gatwick has the advantage of being 20 miles near to Paris than Croydon. This saves 10 minutes of flying time. It is also in the unique position of having a new railway station actually adjoining. A walk through 120 yards of tunnel brings the traveller to his aeroplane.

More Trains

This rail access brings Gatwick nearer in time to London than Croydon, although it is 28 miles from the centre of the capital and Croydon only about half as far. The Southern Railway has instituted an augmented service to Tinsley Green station, which has now been renamed Gatwick Airport.

The first machine to leave was a British Airways aeroplane. It carried 11 passengers, nine of them French, returning to Paris. The first machine to arrive was the same company's "plane from Malmö, Sweden, via Hamburg and Amsterdam.

Two "specials" took off later with 22 members of the Touring Club de France.

There was no ceremonial for the first departure. There was an official opening of the airport on June 6 by Viscount Swinton, Secretary for Air.

British Airways are now running nine Continental services, to France, Holland, Germany and Scandinavia. There are also frequent services, depending on the demand, to the Isle of Wight.

HEIRLOOM SOLD

SALE IN U.S. OF
RUBENS PICTURE
CAUSES LAWSUIT

Value To Be Paid To
Lonsdale Estate

PERMISSION OF TRUSTEES
NOT OBTAINED

A picture by Rubens, "The Holy Family," was mentioned recently in the High Court, London, before Mr. C. M. Pitman, K.C., Official Referee.

Mr. St. John Field, K.C., for Viscount Ullswater and Mr. W. G. F. Cavendish-Bentinck, trustees of the Lonsdale estate, explained that, in an action brought by them on March 2, against M. Knoedler and Co., Incorporated, claiming an account of the proceeds of the sale of the picture by them, the defendants submitted to judgment, but without prejudice to their right to contend that the sum for which they were liable was limited to £2,500.

The Official Referee, therefore, was now asked to decide the sum to be paid to the estate.

Defendants, Mr. Field added, were an American firm of art dealers, and the picture was handed over to them to sell. But, as it was an heirloom, it could not be sold without the approval of the court.

The trustees agreed to sell the picture for £2,500, but, soon afterwards, it turned out that the dealers, without the approval of the court, had sold it to some person unknown for a larger sum.

As the purchaser had taken the picture to Switzerland, it could not be recovered by the court. Plaintiffs claimed the sum received by the Knoedler company.

Sent To Basle

The art dealers, in reply to interrogatories, had disclosed that they sold the picture to a Mr. Paul Bottenweiser for £4,000, and that it had been forwarded to Basle.

16 RATS SEEN IN CLASSROOM

High Wycombe.
Complaints have been made that rats run about an elementary school at Woodburn, near High Wycombe, frightening the children and eating their lunches.

Mr. G. J. Drevett, headmaster of another school, told the Woodburn Parish Council that he counted 16 to 20 rats in the main classroom when he visited the school. Five came out from under his seat.

The Council decided to write to the school managers.

PROMINENT GREEKS DEAD

TWO LAST MONTH
FORMER PREMIER AND LATE
PRESIDENT OF SENATE

Athens.

Two noted leaders of Greece died last month—M. Tsaldaris, a former Premier, and Gen. Paraskevopoulos, former commander-in-chief of the Greek army in Asia Minor and first President of the Senate.

Within less than four months Greece has thus lost five of her famous leaders. The others were:

Gen. Goudylis, the Royalist leader, died January 31.
M. Venzelos, died in exile in Paris, March 18.

Prof. Demerdjias, Premier, died April 13.

M. Tsaldaris died from heart failure. While he was returning from a conference, his car collided with another, but he did not show any sign of shock. Shortly after midnight he felt ill, and expired in his wife's arms.

CAMBRIDGE STUDENT'S FREAK

A Cambridge undergraduate, John Herbert Swannell, had been working hard for his tripos and was in need of a holiday.

So he started turning out street lamps in the street.

He was fined £3 by the Cambridge magistrates.

COMING EVENTS

Motorist, at Willesden (summoned for speeding): The police sounded the gong so often that I thought I was being followed by an ambulance.

Africa's Largest Beacon

South Africa's largest lighthouse will be brought into operation on October 1 this year, after two years' work.

It is built at Cape Columbine, Cape Province, and will have a strength of 9,500,000 candle-power. This is more than three times as powerful as the Durban Light, which at present is the most brilliant in the country.

The Durban Light is the same as the Lizard in England—3,000,000 candle-power.

The Cape Columbine light will be visible for 24 miles. It will make navigation safe on a coast which has, for generations, been feared by sailors. Cost of installation was about £16,000.

Flashes will be one beam of light every 15 seconds. There will also be a radio fog signal station.

"FLYING CURATE" OPENS RURAL CAMPAIGN

Cockpit Of Plane As Pulpit

In his "plane "Silver Wings," the Rev. C. B. Boulton, the "flying curate" of Warlington, Hants, last month began a mission with a service at Chichester. His first service was held in a field, where the machine was named by Viscountess Falkland.

Mr. Boulton, who conducted the service from the cockpit of the "plane," said that people were no longer tied to their homes now that the motor-car enabled them to spend Sundays in the country or at the seaside.

To those people open-air services appealed very strongly, and it did not seem to him that there was any special need to go into a church to find God.

FAIRBANKS JR. AS KNIFE "TARGET"

Dolores Del Rio's Daily
Practice

HOW IT IS DONE

Miss Dolores del Rio, the attractive Mexican film star, told recently what it feels like to hurl a knife into someone's back. Mr. Douglas Fairbanks, jun., provides the back.

They are to appear in "Accused," now being made at the Criterion studios at Worton Hall.

The "bull's-eye" is a spot on Mr. Fairbanks' back, which is covered, beneath his coat, with light, specially tempered steel armour. Properly thrown from a range of eight yards the knife hits a small socket, in which it quivers to give the effect of sticking in his back.

"I have practised hard for six weeks," said Miss del Rio. "A full-blooded Cherokee Indian has been showing me how. A firm hand and a steady eye are needed—believe me. If I threw an inch wide of the armour the knife would stick into Mr. Fairbanks, and that would be terrible. So I have to be careful."

Miss del Rio had a wooden board with a heart painted on it put up in the sitting-room of her London hotel, and there she practised knife-throwing at odd moments, as other people play darts.

MAN WHO FEARED GIPSY'S CURSE

Paid Money To Avert
Evil Eye

CARAVAN DWELLER CHARGED

The gypsy's curse, the evil eye, and the witch's influence were mentioned in a case at Cambridge Assizes recently, when Rosanna Price, a caravan dweller and pedlar, was convicted of demanding money and goods with menaces from Percy Bradshaw, a grocer, of March, Cambridgeshire, and bound over for 12 months.

Mr. Bradshaw said that he believed in the witch's curse. He had known Price for about 12 months, and during that time he had given her £50 because of his fear of the curse.

Once when Price called, a policeman was concealed in the shop, and Mr. Bradshaw handed some marked notes and coins over to Price. She said she would call on Monday for £20. The policeman arrested her.

Price denied threatening to put the curse on Bradshaw, and said she did not know what a curse was. She had had about £10 from Bradshaw, who paid her the money because she told him he would prosper in business.

Mr. Justice Branson said that for the sake of her nine children he would bind Price over for 12 months.

STONE AS THANKS TAKEN

As a token of thanks for the help Surrey has given the distressed area of Jarrow-on-Tyne, a stone taken from the Jarrow Parish Church is to be incorporated in the new Cathedral at Guildford. It will be built into the Chapel of Chivalry.

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Duck	32	22
Doves	28	22
Eggs, Hen (cooking)	30	18
Eggs, Hen (fresh)	32	25
Fowls, Hainan	40	85
Canton	60	—
Geese	30	23
Pigeons, Canton	44	80
Hallows	28	20
Turkeys, Cock	38	—
Hen	63	61
Snipe	29	—
Partridge	170	220
Partridge	—	16
FRUITS.		
Almonds	90	35
Lemons, China	16	—
Bananas (Bride's)	6	4
Carambola	—	10
Cocoanuts	12	10
Apples (California)	34	28
Lemons, American	12	10
Lichees, Dried	120	22
Oranges (Canton)	—	—
Oranges (Sweet)	—	—
Pears (Canton)	—	—
Oranges (American)	10	—
Persimmons, Large	—	12
Pumelo, Siam	—	—
Walnuts	20	—
Grapes	50	—
VEGETABLES, ETC.		
Artichokes	12	—
Beetroot	12	—
Long	—	—
Beetroot	12	—
Brinjals, Green	6	8
Red	6	8
Cabbage, Chinese (Shanghai)	16	—
Carrots (Large)	—	12
(Medium)	—	—
(Small)	—	—
Carrots	6	5
Celery, Chinese	16	10
Chillies, Dried	—	28
Red	12	16
Green	10	8
Curry Stuff, English	16	8
Cucumbers	8	—
Garlic	10	6
Ginger, Young	12	7
Old	10	20
Horseradish, Siam	40	8
Indian Corn	—	—
Lettuce	6	1
Onions	—	—
Onions, Bombay	8	8
Green	6	4
Shanghai	—	—
Parley	60	60
Potato, sweet	5	3
Japanese	10	8
American	4	4
Pumpkin	—	—
Radish	—	—
Rhubarb (French)	15	4
Turnips, Punt	6	4
(Long)	—	—
Watercress	7	15
Vegetable Marrow	8	—
Water Lily Root	5	—
Spinach	12	4
Tomatoes	12	4
Mushrooms	40	—
BUTCHER MEAT.		
Beef Sirloin	38	34
Prime Cut	30	22
Corned	30	24
Boast	30	24
Breast	24	30
Soup	25	30
Steak	30	34
Steak Sirloin	45	30
Sausages	35	30
Ballock's Brains	17	16
Tongue, fresh	70	80
Corned	100	—
Head	200	—
Heart	24	30
Hump, Salt	20	30
Pork	12	10
Kidneys	12	10
Tail	25	30
Liver	24	12
Tripe	80	—
Calves' Head & Feet	180	180
Mutton, Chop	44	30
Leg	44	30
Shoulder	40	28
Saddle	44	—
Brains	10	—
Pig's Chittlings	28	27
Feet	22	15
Fry	25	15
Head	15	20
Kidneys	12	10
Liver	38	30
Pork Chop	30	—
Loam	38	30
Fat or Lard	22	21
Sheep's Head & Feet	90	68
Heart	12	3
Kidneys	15	10
Liver	40	30
Sucking Pigs to Order	45	25
Suet, Best	30	30
Suet, Best	38	30
Mutton	30	30
Veal	40	30
Sausages	28	—
No. 1	32	—
FISH.		
Barbel	28	15
Canton Fresh	—	—
Water Fish	22	15
Codfish	44	65
Crabs	16	65
Cuttle Fish	35	10
Dace	40	25
Eels Conger	49	—
Tels Fresh Water	64	—
Eels Yellow	28	16
Garoupa	48	85
Herrings	20	22
Gudgeon	20	40
Hallbut	35	12
Lobster	50	85
Mackerel	24	15
Millet	24	12
Oysters	16	30
Pike	40	15
Plaice	30	30
Promfret, White	22	32
Promfret, Black	22	36
Prawns	52	10
Roach	24	36
Salmon	32	36
Shark	14	10
Shrimps	18	32
Turtles	64	80
Tench	20	12
Small Fresh water	40	12
Sole	—	—

SITUATION IN NORTH CHINA

EFFECT ON RELATIONS WITH TWO "KWANGS" "RING OF STEEL" STRENGTHENED

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, Yesterday. Military pressure on Kwangtung and Kwangsi is likely to be relaxed if trouble arises in North China through Japanese troubles or the dissatisfaction of the northern military chiefs, political observers predicted today.

These observers point to the manoeuvres of General Han Fu-chu, Chairman of the Shantung Provincial Government, General Sung Chen-yuan, Chairman of the Hopei and Chahar Political Council, and General Yen Hsi-shan, Pacification Commissioner of Shansi. These military men want to put up resistance against Japanese aggression and are disappointed by the failure of the Central Authorities to support that view.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

There will be a whist drive at the Sailors' House and Seamen's Institute to-morrow, beginning at 9 p.m.

The Dragon Boat Festival (Tiem-chung-chieh) will be observed to-day.

The Kowloon Chess Club will meet at 5.30 p.m. to-day at the Central British School.

There will be a whist drive at the Cheero Club to-day, beginning at 8.30 p.m.

There will be a tea dance at the Cheero Club to-morrow, beginning at 5 p.m.

A whist drive and tombola will be held at the Kowloon Docks to-morrow evening.

The Garrison Sergeants' Mess will hold a Whist Drive and Tombola at 8.30 p.m. to-morrow.

The s.s. Tilawa will sail for Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe and Osaka at 7 a.m. on Thursday.

Two cases of enteric fever were reported to the local Health authorities in the 48 hours ended on Sunday.

The Canadian Chinese Club have sponsored a dinner dance at the Peninsula Hotel Rose Room on July 1. (Wednesday) to celebrate Dominion Day. The dance will commence at 8 p.m. and finish at 1 a.m. Tickets at \$3 per person are being sold by Mr. Lyman Quon and Mr. Lee Yuk-tong of the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company. Friends are cordially invited; dress optional.

A very successful launch picnic was held by the Canadian Chinese Club to Big Wave Bay on Sunday. Over 60 members and guests attended, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. K. Noble, Assistant Canadian Trade Commissioner, Mr. J. R. Paton of the Sun Life Insurance Co., Mr. and Mrs. W. Muir of the Dairy Farm, Mrs. Muzzal, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall, Miss Lulu Wong, Messrs. Chan Sheung-yook, Chen King-ho, David Hung of the Chinese Maritime Customs, and many others.

KOWLOON PAIR BEATEN AT HAPPY VALLEY

(Continued from Page 4)

R. Duncan and S. Randle 24, J. V. Ramsay and J. McKelvie 17, at B.C.C.C. S. Bright and J. Henson 19, F. Machado and H. F. Rosario 41, at K.C.C. Game stopped on the 15th hole on account of darkness, and will be concluded to-morrow.

A. E. Coates and J. Cavanagh 23, L. C. R. Souza and R. F. Luz 13, at C.S.C.C. J. Shepherd and L. Glendenning 27, A. E. Minu and S. O. Bux 12, at C.C.C. W. Greig and W. Mair 27, N. J. Bebbington and A. Hyde-Lay 12, at C.C.C.

Games Postponed

The following games were postponed.

Singles C. Champelovier v D. M. Khan, at H.E.C. H. F. Rosario v W. L. Walker, at K.D.R.C. A. H. Rumbach v W. Mair, at H.K.F.C. E. J. Edwards v J. F. Lunny, at Tai Koo.

Pairs

H. E. Strange and R. R. Wood v M. A. R. Souza and W. V. Field, at Police R.C.

Meanwhile, Nanking troops in Szechuen and Kweichow are being moved into Hunan in order to strengthen the "ring of steel" around the two Kwangs. Five regiments of crack troops, who arrived at Changsha from Kiangsi over the week-end, were sent yesterday to Chi Yang.

French mortars and light field-pieces were also sent from Hengchow to the front. Nanking forces are definitely on the move, while the Kwangtung and Kwangsi divisions are on the defensive.

Students' Agitation

Propaganda corps formed by middle-school students began their work this morning in the city in an effort to curtail popular support for the anti-Japanese movement of the South-west authorities. Some of the students left early this morning for the interior for the same purpose.

Students engaged in propaganda are now protected against personal injuries by a sort of press gang. Members of this gang opened fire on a students' demonstration on the early part of this year and wounded two of them. Several are still missing.

Many students declined to take part in the anti-Japanese agitations, but the Provincial Department of Education and the police assure them that no bodily injury will be possible this time. The present agitations are sponsored by the Kwangtung and Kwangsi regime.

Students are considered to be the enlightened elements of the masses. Hence their support is necessary for a popular cause. Since the anti-Japanese movement has been begun with a definite objective, there will be no halt.

Police and gendarmes are instructed to protect the youngsters in their propaganda work in the interests of the Government.

FORTNIGHT OF SPORT

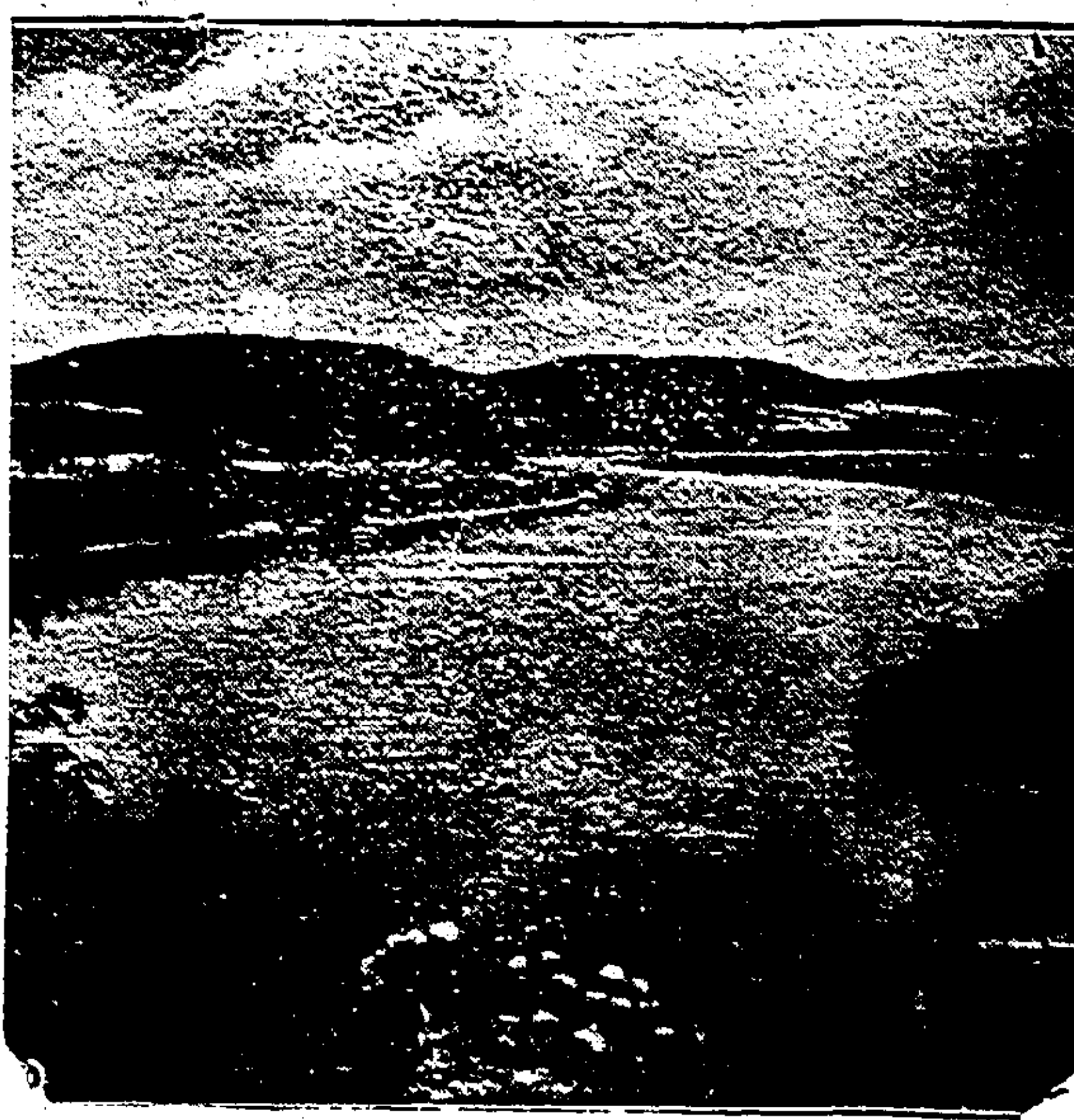
Britain In Cheerful Mood

London, To-day. Glorious if oppressive weather greeted the opening of one of the biggest sporting fortnights of the year at Wimbledon. It opens with Perry versus Gerald Stratford, an American newcomer. The absence of Miss Helen Wills Moody and Roderique Menzel (Czechoslovakia) is regretted, but otherwise all the "big shots" are appearing.

The British Open Golf Championship begins with the qualifying rounds at Hoylake and Wallasey courses. There was one round yesterday and another to-day. The leading hundred, and those tying for the hundredth place will play rounds at Hoylake to-morrow and on Thursday.

The competition proper will be between the first 60 and those tying with the sixtieth place, who will complete the final 36 holes at Hoylake on Friday.

The Test Match starts on Saturday. The Henley Regatta commences on July 1. For this there is a record entry of 121, including numerous foreigners, notably Swiss and Japanese.—Reuter.



An idyllic landscape on the River Weser.

WIMBLEDON RESULTS BITSY GRANT BEATS HENKEL AND KHO EXTENDS HUGHES

London, To-day.

The following were the results at Wimbledon yesterday:—

Fred Perry (Britain) beat Stratford (America) 6-4, 6-3, 6-1. Donald Budge (America) beat C. E. Hare (Britain) 6-1, 6-4. Wilmer Allison (America) beat Mulliken (Britain) 6-4, 6-3. J. Van Ryn (America) beat Morton (Britain) 6-3, 8-6, 6-2. Vivian McGrath (Australia) beat Purcell (Ireland) 8-6, 6-0, 9-7.

Chartkavany (Siam) beat Reddall (Britain) 10-8, 8-10, 7-5, 6-3. Bryan Grant (America) beat Henkel (Germany) 5-7, 3-6, 7-5, 6-4, 6-2.

Nigel Sharpe (Britain) beat Harold Surface (America) 6-4, 6-2, 6-1.

H. G. N. Lee (Britain) beat Breeze (America) 6-4, 6-1, 6-1. G. P. Hughes beat Kho Sin-kie 9-11, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3, 8-6.

It was a gruelling match, every point being closely contested and the high level of play sustained throughout attracted a large crowd. Hughes won thanks to his rock-like steadiness.

Kho by clever, sweeping forehand drives and tricky network led 6-5 in the final set after Hughes had been 5-4.

BRITAIN'S BID FOR GAMES

Majority Of Events At Wembley

LORD BURGHLEY'S STATEMENT

London, To-day.—Great Britain has decided to make a bid for the 1940 Olympic.

Lord Burghley, Chairman of the British Olympic Association, announced that Sir Percy Vincent, Lord Mayor of London, has extended an invitation to the International Olympic Committee to hold the 1940 Olympic in London. The Lord Mayor reminded the President of the International Olympic Committee that when Rome was unable to hold the Olympic in 1908, London came to the rescue successfully. He assured that it would be organised according to the highest traditions of the Olympic ideal.

Lord Burghley stated that an influential Organising Committee would be formed if the invitation was accepted and a guarantee of £100,000 would be raised, of which more than half was already available. Arrangements would be made to hold the majority of the events at Wembley Stadium, where 100,000 could be seated and the largest swimming pool in the world and a new track would be laid round the famous soccer pitch.—Reuter.

MACHINE-GUN PRACTICE AT PAKSHAWAN BAY

There will be machine-gun practice from Pakshawan Bay on the following dates:—

29 June—7.00 p.m. to midnight. 27 July—8.00 p.m. to midnight. 31 August—8.00 p.m. to midnight. 23 September—8.00 p.m. to midnight.

Then Hughes rallied and won a very thrilling match.

Lum Outplayed

Siha (Czechoslovakia) beat Gordon Lum 6-2, 6-2, 6-2. The diminutive Czech slammed the tall bare-legged Chinese off the court with lightning-like passes which left Lum standing. Lum scored several points from drop shots, but they did not come off enough.

Maneff Beats Ho

Maneff (Switzerland) beat Ho (China) 7-5, 9-7, 1-6, 6-1. Ho played most pluckily in a ding-dong struggle from the baseline but netted very often in the second set. He attacked vigorously, however, and caused Maneff to commit many errors. Maneff's amazing retrieving powers carried him through.

Choy Off Form

Del Castillo (Argentina) beat W. C. Choy (China) 6-0, 1-6, 6-1, 6-4.

Choy was off form and with a weak service and backhand he netted very often. He launched a spectacular volleying attack in the second set, but resumed baseline defensive tactics later, when he was most erratic.

Sweeping Backhanders

Itoh, the Japanese player, beat Hughton of Holland 6-1, 6-2, 6-3.

With sweeping backhanders Itoh kept Hughton very busy and the latter frequently stumbled about the court. The Japanese was confident and eased up in the third set.—Reuter.

GOLF TOURNEY HELD UP

Cloudburst Spoils Play

COTTON AND MARTIN UNFORTUNATE

London, To-day.

In the Open Golf Championship Henry Cotton, playing on the Wallasey course made a record with a round of 67.

D. H. R. Martin, the Oxford Blue, created a record for the Hoylake lengthened course with 72.

Cyril Tolley returned a card of 75 and Richard Burton 77. At Wallasey Hector Thomson made a score of 77.

Later: Golf has been abandoned owing to a cloudburst.

The championship will be begun anew to-day and yesterday's scores will not be counted, which is very tough on Henry Cotton.

1910 Incident Recalled Only for the second time in the long history of the British Open Golf Championship, play was abandoned on the first day after a cloudburst, almost similar to that which caused the abandonment of the St. Andrew's meeting in 1910.

The cloudburst occurred on both courses at about 2 p.m., and in a few minutes the greens were under water.

Cancellation of yesterday's scores was most unfortunate for Cotton and Martin, who were the leaders respectively at the Wallasey and Hoylake courses. The weather was most summery before the cloudburst.—Reuter.

URBAN COUNCIL

Refuse On Bathing Beaches

MORE QUESTIONS TO BE ASKED

At next Thursday's meeting of the Urban Council, a letter from the Government, relative to the appointment of Mr. F. C. Hall to be a member of the Council for a further term of three years, will be read; as will also a letter from the Government, signifying the approval of the Legislative Council to the amendment of the by-laws under the heading "Slaughter-houses" and sub-heading "Slaughter of animals," set forth in the schedule to the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, 1935.

Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto, pursuant to notice, will ask:—

- I. What is the probable origin of the refuse that is found on the bathing beaches in Hong Kong and Kowloon?
- II. Is it possible to end this nuisance by preventing the dumping of rubbish in the harbour and in the proximity of bathing resorts?
- III. Can the nuisance not be abated by employing coolies to keep the popular bathing beaches clean?
- IV. Could floating garbage be collected in nets?
- V. Will the Chairman kindly obtain a report on the matter?

Sea Water Pollution

Dr. Li Shu Fan, pursuant to notice, will ask:—

"With a view to minimising the pollution of the harbour seawater and to safeguarding the health of those who bathe in the water within and adjoining the harbour, will the Chairman kindly furnish answers to the following questions?

(a) Is it a fact that during the preceding 12 months the Kun Tong Reclamation was made the exclusive refuse-dump for refuse collected from the cities of Victoria and Kowloon?

(b) During this period, has there been any refuse-disposal made at sea by means of barges?

and if so,

(c) When and where?

(d) During this period how many summonses and convictions, if any, have there been against steamers and other watercraft for having committed nuisances in respect of the dumping overboard of refuse within harbour limits?

POISON CASE IN ENGLAND

Chocolate Eggs With Strychnine

HOUSE SEARCHED AND MAN QUESTIONED

Nottingham.—Police enquiries to discover the sender of poisoned chocolate eggs to three women and a girl in Nottinghamshire were last month concentrated on the village of Bunny, where two of the recipients live.

Superintendent Rodgers and Detective Burton visited a house there and interviewed a man for two hours. They left after searching the house and the out-buildings.

The chocolate eggs, containing heavy doses of strychnine, were received by Mrs. Beatrice Mellor, aged 35, of Bunny, Dorothy Knight, aged 12, who lives next door; Miss Salmon, aged 30, of Buddington, two miles from Bunny; and Miss Adeline Elizabeth Peters, of Carlton Hill, Nottingham.

Made By Same Firm The police established the fact that the poisoned chocolates were all made by the same firm, and were posted at Nottingham general post office. They believe that the sender broadcast chocolates to a number of people, hoping to kill one particular person whose death, in company with several others, would not excite particular comment apart from the general tragedy.

The eggs are now in the laboratories of Mr. S. R. Trotman, of Nottingham, whose services were requisitioned by the police in the Ada Baguley murder case, which resulted in Nurse Waddingham being hanged.

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SPEEDWAY RIDER'S DEATH

Won Three Races, Fell In Fourth

HACKNEY INQUEST

The death of Herbert ("Dusty") Haigh, the speedway rider, after winning three races in an Auto-Cycle Union Cup match on one day, was the subject of an inquest at Hackney last month. Haigh was riding for the Hackney Wick team against West Ham. A married man, aged 33, living at Highbury New Park, Islington, Haigh was a former member of Belle Vue (Manchester), Sheffield, and Lea Bridge teams.

A verdict of accidental death was recorded. His young wife collapsed during the inquiry and had to be assisted from the court. Before the inquest the coroner (Mr. W. Bentley Purchase) inspected the Hackney Wick Speedway track.

Accident Described

Thomas Robert Croombs, one of the Hackney Wick team, described the accident.

"In the fourth race," he said, "Haigh was leading at the inquiry and I was just behind. Suddenly as he rounded the corner Haigh got into a slide and fell across the track. I struck his machine as it lay on the ground, bounced off it, and struck the fence."

Edward Bradford Ware, track inspector of the Auto-Cycle Union, said that the track was constructed on the most scientific principles yet evolved and was properly maintained.

In the fourth race Haigh was about a length in front of three other riders. One steered clear, another struck the machine on the ground, but the third hit Haigh. They were all travelling at approximately 30 miles an hour.

Premier Rider

Ware stated that Haigh had been riding since 1928—ever since speedway racing was introduced into this country—and was regarded as one of England's premier riders. Haigh had just returned from Australia, was in excellent condition and at the peak of his form.

The coroner said the possible explanation was that Haigh overbalanced at a critical point, fell somewhat heavily, and was then subjected to further violence when one of the other riders was unable to avoid him.

TRAM AND HOUSE STRUCK

A tramcar and a house were struck by lightning during a heavy thunderstorm recently at Bristol.

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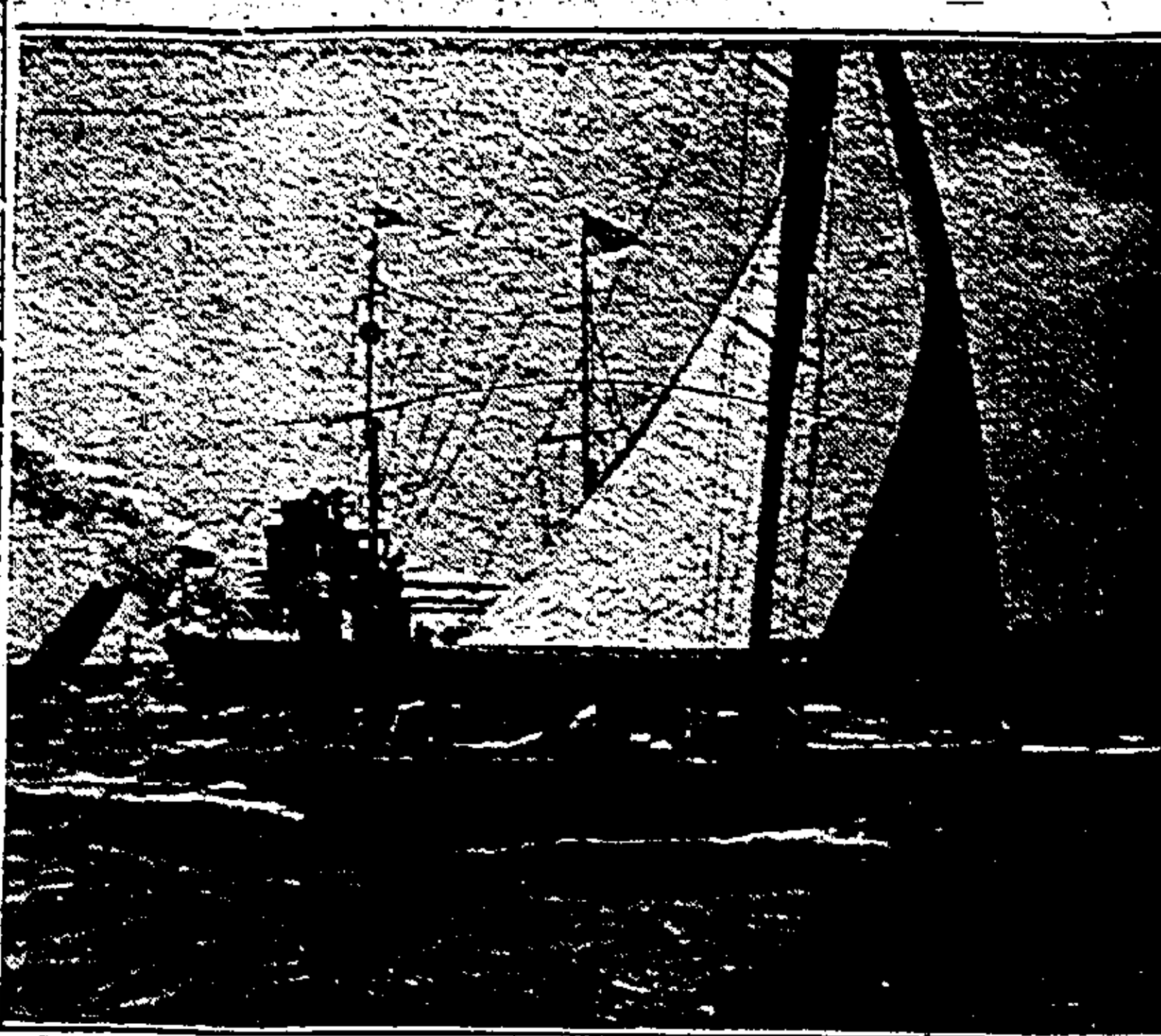
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CHILD ON THE LINE

Just before a train approaching London entered Heme Hill Station one night last month, Reginald Jones, aged 2, of Mayall-road, Heme Hill, was seen wandering on the line. Porters and the stationmaster ran along the line and picked him up and the train was pulled up. The child was uninjured.

FOUR PEOPLE TO BE TRIED

£10,000 Jewellery Charges

Three men and a girl were at Sutton (Surrey) last month committed for trial to the Old Bailey on charges relating to the alleged theft of jewellery valued at more than £10,000. They were described as:

John James, aged 30, clerk, of Cambridge-terrace, Paddington; John Shorter, aged 32, clerk, of Camden-square, St. Pancras; Israel Farra, aged 40, club manager, of Carlton-mansions Tottenham Court-road; and Hilda Margaret Collis, aged 22, domestic servant, of Cartwright-gardens, W.C.

Shorter, James and Collis were accused of breaking into Countess Annesley's flat at Eccleston-square, S.W., and stealing jewellery worth £2,500, and of breaking into Mrs. Sandra Leslie's house at Egerton-terrace, S.W., and stealing jewellery valued at £400.

James was further charged with stealing £7,500 worth of jewellery from Mr. Montagu Salmon's suite at the Hotel Metropole, London. James and Shorter were charged with breaking into a house at Banstead, and stealing articles valued at £45.

Against Farra, who was allowed bail, were two charges of receiving.

HAMMER SMITH TRAGEDY

Mother And Three Children Gassed

Mrs. Dorothy Violet Warwick, aged 34, and three of her children, Edward Alexander, aged 8, Clarice St. Clair, aged 3, and Stanley Keith, aged 2, were found dead from gas poisoning last month in a flat in Glenthorne-road, Hammer Smith. The husband and a fourth child slept safely in another room.

The family were due to leave the flat that day, the landlord having told them that the rooms were required.

Italian Air Volley On British Officer

How Major G. A. Burgoyne, the British officer attached to the Red Cross in Abyssinia, met his death was described last month by Capt. Brophill, who served with the same unit.

Capt. Brophill was addressing the Abyssinian Association at Birmingham.

Major Burgoyne was first wounded by a bomb, he said, and then Italian airmen circled round

POLICE OFFICER "MANHANDLED"

Behaved In "Foolish Fashion"

LONDON DOCTOR FINED

Thorold McDiarmid Kellough, aged 40 physician and surgeon, of Holland Park-avenue, W., was fined £3 at Marlborough-street last month for obstructing a police officer and £2 for driving "the wrong way in a one-way street."

A charge against Dr. Kellough of using insulting words and behaviour was dismissed. Dr. Kellough was also ordered to pay 15s costs to a taxi-man.

Evidence was given that Dr. Kellough drove from north to south in Dover-street on May 14, and nearly collided with a taxi going the proper way. It was alleged that Dr. Kellough abused the driver, who called a police officer.

Struggled Violently

P.-C. A. Hocking said that he arrested Dr. Kellough, who struggled violently on the way to Vine-street. Ernest Jennings, the taxi-man, stated that, after his arrest he saw Dr. Kellough manhandle the constable.

Dr. Kellough, who only denied the insulting words and behaviour, said he wanted the officer to take down a statement. A medical student and a woman in the car corroborated.

Mr. E. C. P. Boyd, the magistrate, said that Dr. Kellough had behaved in a very foolish fashion.

SCENE AT FIGHT

Escort Required For Boxer

Wild scenes followed a fight between Jackie Brown, former world fly-weight champion, and "Nipper" Cusick, at Belle Vue, Manchester, last month.

The contest was an eliminating bout for the Northern Area bantam-weight championship. When the referee awarded the verdict to Cusick the crowd set up continuous booing and threw chairs into the ring.

Cusick had to be escorted from the ring by police, but Brown was given a tremendous ovation. The referee, Mr. Murphy, was loudly booed when he left the ring, many of the spectators trying to bar his progress. One spectator was carried out by police and it was some time before order was restored.

Mr. Jack Madden, the matchmaker, took the unusual step of withholding the referee's fee, and there was the unprecedented scene of many of the crowd signing a "Round Robin" expressing disapproval of the verdict. Brown's manager has lodged a protest with the Boxing Board of Control.

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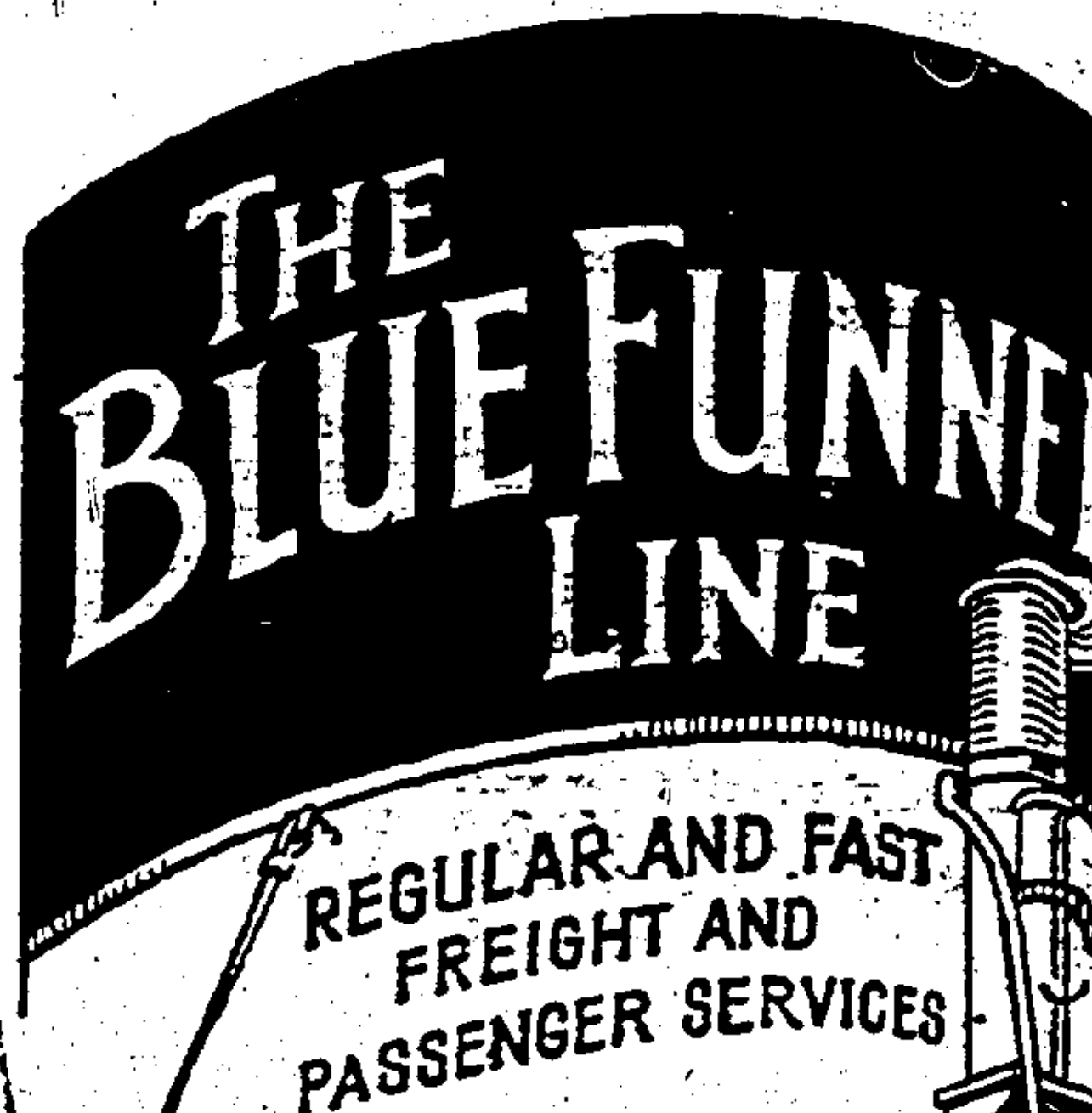
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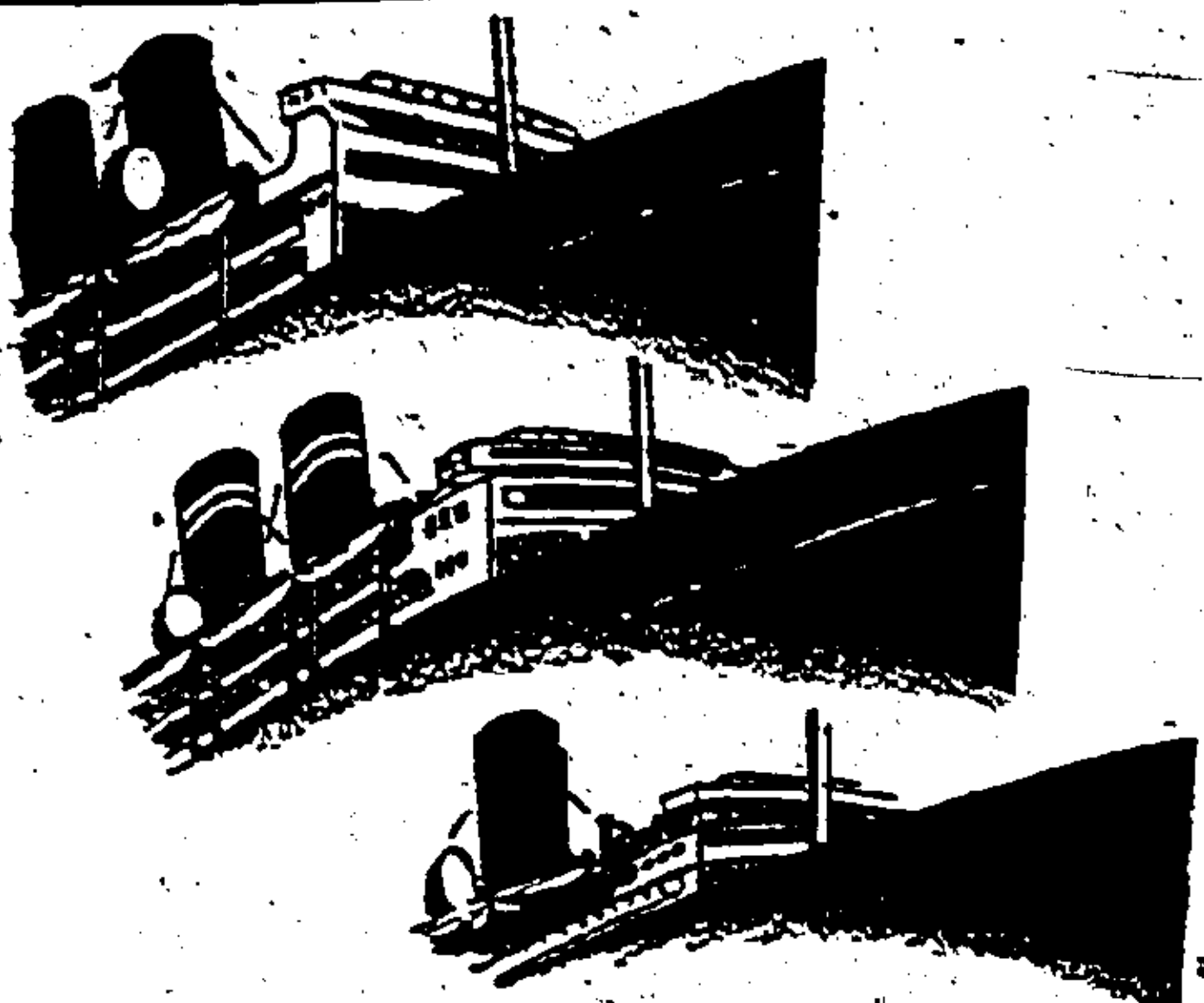
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*NADDERA	16,000	8th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*SOMALI	6,000	15th Aug.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
*KAISER-HIND	11,000	22nd Aug.	Bombay Marseilles & London.
*RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BANGALORE	6,000	12th Sept.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CHITRAL	15,000	19th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
*RAJPUTANA	17,000	3rd Oct.	Marseilles & London.
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RAWALPINDI	17,000	17th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
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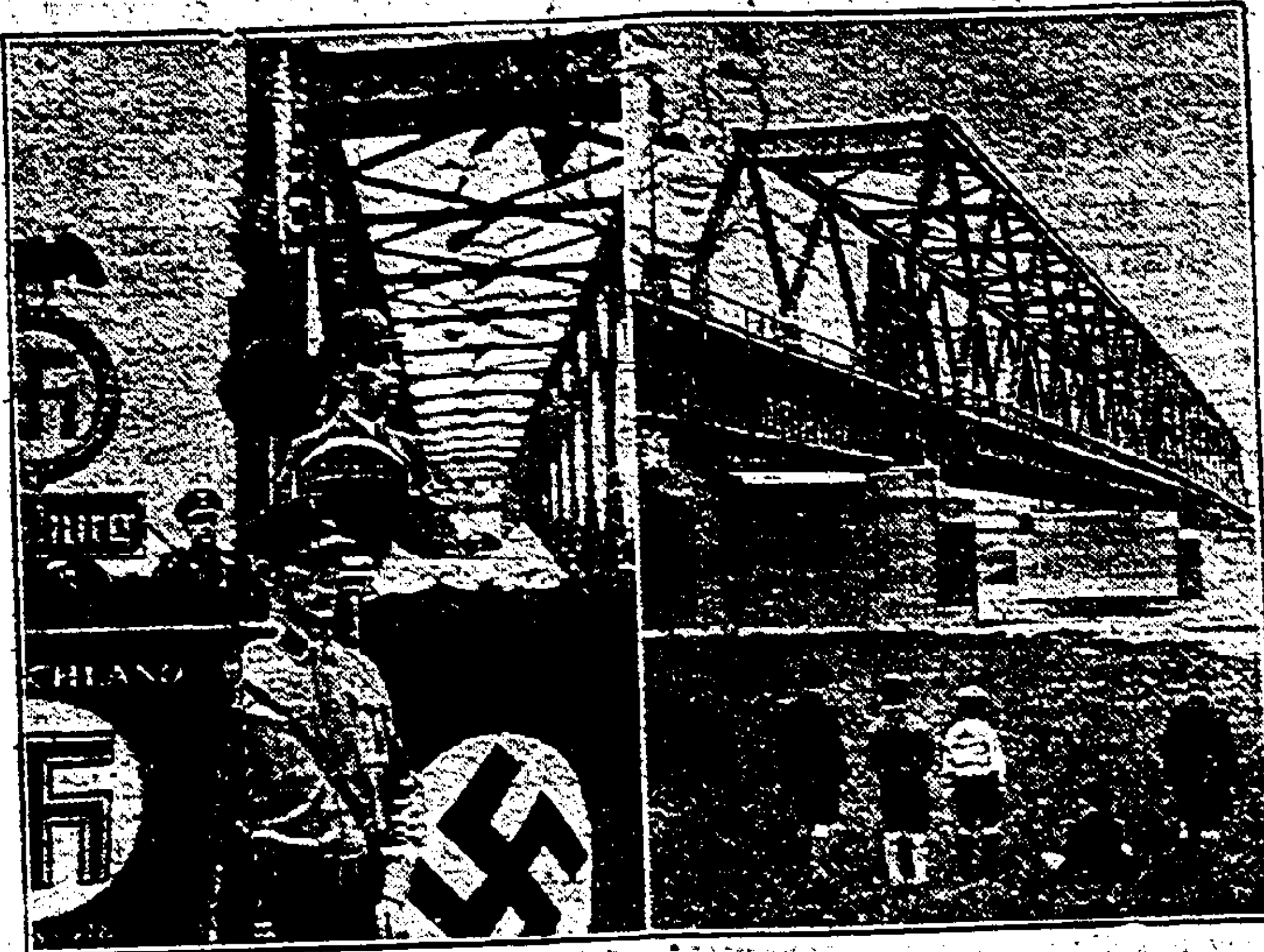
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NELLORE	7,000	7th July	Shanghai & Japan.
NADDERA	16,000	9th July	Shanghai & Japan.
SANTHA	8,000	9th July	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
KAISER-HIND	11,000	23rd July	Shanghai & Japan.
TALMA	10,000	23rd July	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
*BANGALORE	6,000	2nd Aug.	Shanghai & Japan.
*RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Aug.	Shanghai & Japan.
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NEW DOCKS AND WAREHOUSES

\$12,000,000 Scheme For Port Of London

ELECTRIFICATION OF QUAY EQUIPMENT

A programme of improvements and developments, to cost nearly \$12,000,000, was announced by the Port of London Authority last month.

It provides for new docks, many new warehouses and sheds, new bridges and better road access, and the electrification of quay equipment.

The programme has been drawn up in view of "the phenomenal increase that has taken place in the trade of the port of London and the potentialities for a still further increase."

It is divided into stages, all to be carried out as soon as financial considerations permit.

First Stage

The first stage, which it is hoped to begin this year, includes:

Reconstruction of north side of Royal Victoria Dock;

Provision of accommodation for rum in the London and St. Katharine Docks;

New bridges over the Wapping cutting and the passage at the Hermitage Basin;

A new quay, two-storey shed and improved road access on the north side of the Eastern Dock, London Dock;

Development of south side of West India Import Dock by constructing a new quay with three deep-water berths and a five-storey warehouse for sugar and other goods;

Widening of the quay, deepening of the dock, and provision of a two-storey warehouse, Millwall inner dock;

Record Berthings

New four-storey warehouse, reconstruction of No. 1 warehouse and road improvements at South Dock, Surrey Commercial Docks; and

Electrification of quays at West India, Millwall, Surrey Commercial, Royal Albert and Tilbury Docks, and provision of electric cranes and other mechanical appliances.

The Port of London Authority states that the net registered tonnage of vessels arriving at, or departing from, London last year reached the record of 60,597,315, an increase of 57 per cent. over the figure in 1909 when the Authority was created. The tonnage of goods through the port last year was 40,888,825, also a record.

Since 1909 £18,000,000 has been spent on improvements and developments.

CHILD UNDER TRAIN

Violet North, aged 4, of Carlyon road, Alport, was run over by a train on the Piccadilly Railway line at Alport last month. She had climbed on the embankment and fell between the lines. Her left hand was later amputated in King Edward Hospital, Ealing.

GASWORKS SOLD

Winsted, Cheshire, U.D.C. is to sell the town's gasworks to the Severn Valley Gas Corporation Ltd. for £32,000, a profit of £20,000 for the ratepayers.

Following Italy's Conquest

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To them I would answer: Your "realism" is short-sighted. You only see facts, and not the moral values underlying them. To deny the immense yearning of mankind for peace founded on justice is folly. Christianity won its way through greater trials than the League has had to face.

One Asset Gained

Fundamentally, the "realist," adopting the French thesis, is ready to forget Italy's crime out of fear of Germany. He feels Europe may not be able to deal with Germany without Italian co-operation. He may be right, but the dangers Europe may have to face will not be solved by a bogus League, nor if, in the future, Germany were to do what Italy has done would our people accept that she should be arraigned before a tribunal of which Italy was a member.

They are a simple, straight-dealing and honest commercial nation, and have little use for elastic yard measures either for selling goods over a counter or measuring moral values. Their feelings will be: If the League is a sham, then let it go, but do not let us attempt to maintain it on a basis of humbug. You cannot build a security system on the destruction of Abyssinia, or a code of international conduct on Italy's broken pledges.

It seems to me that to adopt the "realist's" point of view would be to fling away the one asset humanity has gained from this lamentable adventure, namely, the fact that 50 nations had the courage to condemn Italy's action.

That surely is a great thing, a step forward, the effect of which will be lost entirely if we take the aggressor back into the fold just because he has been successful.

Dictatorship

I believe it to be too early yet to accept dictatorships as permanently successful forms of government. The world has seen Attila, Genghis Khan, Tamerlane, great rulers who organised empires and commanded irresistible hosts, yet they have passed, casting no more than a deep shadow across the face of time. It would be as unwise to bow to the modern dictators as it would be foolish to deny that they have the full strength of their nations behind them.

But how to answer the question: If you condemn the realist for short-sightedness, in what does true realism consist?

To this I would answer: Our experience, the slap across the face the Duce has administered to us, shows that in future force must be immediately available at the back of any Sanctions that may be applied by the League. We must be ready at any time to apply force, together with other nations, against an aggressor.

This presupposes two conditions. The first, as we all see now, is that we and all other members of the League must be efficiently armed to carry out our part in the common defence. The other is that as no nation can incur obligations greater than its people would accept, it is essential to divide Europe, if not the world, into zones of interest.

Each country would have a zone of first and second interest. It would be bound to come to the help with armed force of those countries within its first zone—

that is, its neighbours and States whose interests were closely akin to its own—but would only be called upon to carry out rigorous economic action against an aggressor within its second zone. But these are matters to be dealt with by a reorganised League.

Difficult Question

Meanwhile our Government has to face excruciatingly difficult questions. It has to deal not only with Germany but with the fear Germany inspires in her neighbours—a fear which warps judgment and paralyses constructive action.

The nations inspired by that fear will clamour for Italian co-operation and support. For instance, the French General Staff will say: Can the English make good the 15 divisions that are needed to guard the Alps if Italian co-operation cannot be relied upon? And as the answer is an negative, even the best-intentioned French Government, the most devoted to League principles, will shuffle and seek to compromise.

But even taking into account all these factors, and in no way underestimating the danger Germany may present in the near or distant future, I would answer the question, "What should our attitude to Italy be?" by saying: "Whatever the risk and however tempting compromise may be, I would not condone Italian action."

As for sanctions, I see no great purpose in maintaining them indefinitely. It is hardly credible that they will be so effective as to cause Italy to evacuate Abyssinia; it is more probable they will be used as a face-saving device to attempt to hide the defeat of the League. Pusillanimous to the last, the nations will rather let them gradually die than have the courage to confess their failure or take the initiative in abolishing them.

Expulsion From League

My own feeling is that, having done our best to give the nations a lead and having failed in our object, there is but one thing we can do, and that is to ask for Italy's expulsion from the League. Better a small, clean League than to take our place in a school of sharks where the rule is that the greater swallows the lesser. France will object, but if faced with the choice of ourselves or Italy she will choose us. She cannot afford to let the League die, as it would assuredly do if we left it.

Meanwhile the complete, if temporary, collapse of the collective system forces us to face a serious situation in Africa. The interest of our people in Abyssinia was quite unselfish and was dictated by their desire to make the League effective, but now that the Abyssinian Empire has been replaced by the strong, aggressive, military power of Italy, we have perforce to consider how the situation affects us.

In the first place it is obvious that the vast area in East Africa now held by Italy makes it possible for her to threaten by air our vital communications with India. Further, she will dispose in future of enormous reservoirs of native man-power, and can in a few years' time, if she be so

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These possibilities cannot be ruled out as fantastic. To meet them only one policy is practicable, and that is to be so strong in the Mediterranean that Italy, whose cities are in the main on or near the coast, would not dare to challenge the guns of our Fleet or our seaborne planes. To insure complete safety co-operation with France is essential, since she is by far the strongest Mediterranean Power.

Fervent Hope

We shall have to tell her that we are more interested in our African possessions and in the white peoples settled there than in even the most deserving nations in South or South-Eastern Europe, and that consequently our power to act in Europe must be a function of our freedom from anxiety in Africa.

Such considerations make it evident enough that even what we may hope is only a temporary weakening of the League must have the effect of driving us back on to our old Imperial positions, which we shall be compelled to maintain until such time as an effective system can be built up.

That this will be possible must be our fervent hope, for otherwise the dream of safety and justice for all great and small alike, will be as dead as the soldiers who gave their lives in the great war.

ROAD DEATHS IN ENGLAND

\$2,635 For Widow Of Naval Officer

Mrs. Doris Mary Jones, aged 22, of Etwell-road, Hall Green, Birmingham, was last month awarded, in the King's Bench Division, £2,635 compensation for the death of her husband, Engr.-Lt. Francis John Jones, in a road collision. Engr.-Lt. Jones, and another naval officer, Lt. Ernest George Nixon, were both killed in the accident, which occurred at cross-roads near Fenny Stratford, Beds. on the night of November 30 last. Lt. Nixon was driving, and Mrs. Jones, who escaped injury, sat beside him.

The defendants were Mr. John Frederick Wilson, of Gossett-road, Bethnal Green, E., owner of a lorry involved in the collision, and Mr. Ernest E. Nixon, of Kenilworth, administrator of the estate of Lt. Nixon.

Pulled Out
It was alleged that the lorry pulled out from behind another vehicle and crashed into the car, the speed of which was estimated at between 45 and 50 m.p.h.

Mr. Justice Horridge, giving judgment for Mrs. Jones with costs, said he thought the sole cause of the accident was the pulling-out of Mr. Wilson's lorry. Judgment was entered for Mr. E. E. Nixon, with costs.

BURNED WOMAN MYSTERY

Liverpool police were last month investigating the death of Mrs. Mary Ellen Murphy, aged 56, a widow, who was burned to death in her room at the top floor of a tenement building in Jervaulf-street, Liverpool.

WOMEN IN GAS "ATTACK"

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Windsor.—Windsor's memorial to King George is to be an ornamental fountain with an architectural background embodying a medallion portrait.

It is to be erected on a site in the centre of the town at the corner of Thames-street and Datchet-road, immediately below the slopes of Windsor Castle. The fountain will be floodlit at night.

The cost will be £3,000. A famous architect has been commissioned to submit a design for the scheme, which has the approval of the King and Queen Mary.

King Approves Site
The King recently visited the site and expressed his entire satisfaction with it. It was originally presented to King George as a Jubilee gift by an anonymous donor. The King handed it over to the Dean and Canons of St. George's Chapel to develop as an open space.

A portion of the ground has been laid out as a playground for St. George's Choir School. The remainder will be developed as an ornamental garden in which the memorial will stand.

The Mayor of Windsor, Lieut.-Col. A. E. Churcher, is appealing for subscriptions to a Memorial Fund.

HUMAN REMAINS FOUND?

Burned Bones In Exmoor Field

MYSTERY UNSOLVED

Minhead.—The Somerset authorities were last month investigating the mystery of the charred bones found ten days before near Kinsford Gate, a lonely and remote part of Exmoor.

The bones, which were discovered by a North Molton farmer, Mr. Albert Wyatt, in an outlying field, were each an inch or two in length and were in a small heap.

On the instructions of the coroner for West Somerset, Mr. G. P. Clark, they were examined by Dr. Godfrey Carter, the consulting pathologist to the Somerset police authorities.

It is understood that Dr. Carter came to the conclusion that the bones were probably those of a human person. As, however, he did not feel altogether satisfied, the coroner has ordered a further investigation, and the bones were sent to a pathological expert in London.

ANOTHER LONDON BUS OVERTURNS

Passengers Escape Unhurt

Eight passengers escaped unhurt, except for bruises and shock, when a London Passenger Transport Board bus overturned at Woodbridge Corner, Leatherhead, Surrey, last month, after collision with a lorry.

The driver of the lorry, Gregory Barry, of Windsor, received concussion, and was taken to Leatherhead Cottage Hospital. The bus driver was thrown through the open windscreen window, but was not injured.

Another bus overturned a couple of days before in Haywards, Bromley. Twelve persons received hospital treatment, but none was seriously injured.

Later a tramcar crashed into a wall in Battersea Park-road, S.W., and 16 persons were hurt.

SEAL FOUND IN YARD

A farmer at Bellarens, co. Kerry, whose house is three-quarters of a mile from Lough Foyle, recently found an exhausted seal in his yard.

WAGE INCREASE

Increases of £14 to £26 per annum, and extended period of leave with pay, have been awarded to depot clerks in the Office of Works.



His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve the retention by Sir Shouson Chow, above, of the title "Honourable" within Hong Kong on his retirement from the Executive Council, in recognition of his service in that Council and in the Legislative Council.

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

Pirates Swamped By Giants

CARDINALS BEAT PHILLIES

New York, To-day.
The following were the results of yesterday's major League baseball matches:

National League		R	H	E
Cincinnati	7	10	1	0
Goodman hit a homer.				
Brooklyn	2	6	2	1
Chicago	3	10	7	0
Boston	5	7	0	0
Wally Berger hit a homer.				

Pittsburgh	5	6	5	1
Paul Waner hit a homer.				
New York	11	8	12	0
Jackson hit two homers.				

St. Louis	8	14	0	0
Joe Collins hit two homers.				
Philadelphia	6	16	1	0
Sulik hit a homer.				

American League		R	H	E
New York	9	11	2	0
Chicago	6	9	2	0

Boston	7	13	1	0
Cooke and Werber hit homers.				
Detroit	8	10	0	0
Burns hit a homer.				

Philadelphia	4	9	2	0
Cleveland	3	6	0	0
Averell hit a homer.				

The game between Washington and St. Louis was postponed owing to rain.—Reuter.

BIRTHDAY HONOURS

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The Birthday Honours include a Knight-Commandership of the Order of St. Michael and St. George for Mr. R. L. Craigie, Counsellor in the Foreign Office since 1928; and a Companionship in the same Order for Captain Danckwerts and Mr. Adrian Holman, First Secretary at His Majesty's Legation, Peking, all for services in connection with the London Naval Conference.

C.M.C. FOR LOCAL RESIDENT
An Officership in the Order of the British Empire is conferred on Mr. H. F. C. Walsh, Acting Consul-General at Batavia; and Companionships in the same Order are conferred on Mr. Michael Davidson, Consul to China, and Mr. Edwin Taylor, Colonial Treasurer, Hong Kong.

Professor F. D. Adams Logan, Professor of Geology at McGill University, Montreal, is created a Companion of Honour.

A Knight-Commandership of the Order of the Bath is conferred on Vice-Admiral F. F. Rose, Commander-in-Chief of the East Indies since 1934.—Reuter.

Hon. Mr. Taylor

Mr. Edwin Taylor, who was born in 1881, joined the Colonial Service in 1921 and has seen service in many parts of the Empire, including Uganda, Seychelles and Sierra Leone, where he was Deputy Treasurer at the time of his transfer to Hong Kong in May 1930.

He was appointed to be Acting Colonial Treasurer in April 1931, and Colonial Treasurer in June of the same year.

Sir Shou-son Chow

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve the retention by Sir Shou-son Chow of the title "Honourable" within Hong Kong on his retirement from the Executive Council, in recognition of his service in that Council and in the Legislative Council.

Sir Shou-son Chow, who is now 77, was appointed to be an un-

ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE

Insanity Plea In Matricide Trial

"MOTHER NAGGED THEM BOTH"

Dr. Charles Preston Ball, whose 20-year-old son is accused of murdering his mother, gave evidence for the defence last month at the Dublin Central Criminal Court.

The son, Edward Preston Ball, an actor, is alleged to have made a statement that he found his mother dead with her throat cut, and that he disposed of the body in the sea in order to hide the fact that she committed suicide. The body has not been recovered.

Counsel for the defence submitted that Ball was insane, and suggested that his mental state was inherited from his mother.

The father described his wife as "terribly neurotic." It was impossible to live with her, and they separated.

His wife would meet patients at the door and tell them not to come in and see him. She would get friends to ring up and send him on wild goose chases into the country.

"Afraid Of The Future"
The doctor read the following letter from his wife, who, he said, wrote to him in affectionate terms up to the time of her death:

"I am afraid of everything—mostly of the future. I feel there is an approaching tragedy. I hope it is not the boy. Please go and see 'Smiling Through' at the cinema."

One night early in 1932 his son attempted to commit suicide by taking 14 grains of aspirin. "I had to use a stomach-pump to save him," added the doctor.

Cross-examined, Dr. Ball said that when the police told him his wife was missing he came to the conclusion that it was another of her tricks to persecute him.

Lacked Moral Sense
Dr. Daniel F. Rambeau, of Harley-street, London, said he examined Edward Ball in 1932. He found him lacking in moral sense, showing no affection for his parents, and talking of suicide in a light way.

"He and I discussed the whole question of suicide," added Dr. Rambeau, "and he made me a promise that he would not attempt it again."

Dr. Coyne, medical officer of Mountjoy Prison, said he found no symptoms of insanity in Ball, but had no doubt that it was a case of "adolescent instability."

IMPROVEMENT AT PAIGNTON

Marsh Converted Into Garden

Paignton.—Sir Robert Horne, M.P., officially opened Goodrington Park, Cliff Garden and Promenades at Paignton, and laid, with a silver trowel, the last coping-stone on the promenade last month.

The complete scheme, including the purchase of land, has cost £74,000, and has entirely altered the character of the area. Goodrington Park was a desolate marsh a few years ago, but has now delightful lawns, rose and flower gardens, a cafe, and lakes for boating and for the swans and wild-fowl which the altered nature of the district has not driven away.

The site of Cliff Garden was a dangerous overhanging cliff. This has now been turned into a rock walk with nearly a quarter of a mile promenade.

official member of the Legislative Council in 1921 and a member of the Executive Council in 1926, the year in which he received his knighthood.

Born in Hong Kong, he started his career with the Chinese Korean Customs in 1881, after studying at Columbia University, and he also held a consular post under Yuan Shih-kai.

He returned to Hong Kong in 1912 and has been identified with the public and business life of the Colony ever since.

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